



MEMOIRS

1956





Somerset High School

Graduation

Class of 1956

June 20, 1956

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Wednesday, June 20, 1956

Somerset High School Auditorium

(Not good after 8 P. M.)

8 P. M.

Section

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Seat

12

GRADUATION PROGRAM

Overture: "Rosamunde Overture" *Schubert*

Entrance March: "Coronation March" *Meyerbeer*
(Audience Seated)

Prayer-Invocation: *Rev. Augusto Furtado*
Chorus: "The Lord's Prayer" *Malotte*

Recitation: "Courage Over Fear"
Lucyanne Sawyer
Chorus: "Your Land and My Land" *Romberg*

Recitation: "The Challenge of Tomorrow"
Joan Louise Bridgeman
Chorus: "Dear Land of Home" *Sibelius*

Address: Dr. Daniel H. O'Leary
President
State Teachers College at Lowell
Soloist: "I'll Walk With God"—
Brodszky-Webster
Elizabeth King

Awarding of Honors: *Principal Francis J. Kilgrew*

Presentation of Diplomas *Superintendent Austin J. O'Toole*

Alma Mater *Heron-Spanick*
Class of 1956

Exit March: "Marching Along Together" *Isaac*
(Audience Seated)

CLASS ROLL

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| <p>Eulalia Almeida
 Lorraine Cheryl Antone
 * Roland Bernardo
 Edward Leopold Bienvenue
 Judith Anne Borge
 David Botelho
 Barbara Ann Breton
 Joan Louise Bridgeman
 Joyce Helene Brockman
 Helen Louise Burgess
 Carolyn Butler
 Marshall Cadorette
 John James Cahill
 Robert Allen Canty
 Jeanne Eleanore Caron
 Raymond Victor Caron
 Lois Sherman Chace
 Sylvia Marie Chace
 * Pauline M. Chagnan
 * Penelope Theresa Coak
 John Alfred Cordeiro
 Roland Cordeiro
 William Joseph Cordeiro
 Jesse Correa
 * Joseph Costa
 Ann Elizabeth Countouriotis
 Sandra Ann Davenport
 * Henry Michael DeMarco
 * Earle W. Dennis
 Manuel Souza Dias
 Nancy Gretchen Dickison
 Marjorie Joyce Durfee
 * Carol Frances Dwyer
 * Arthur Fred Emmett
 Barbara Carol Foulds
 Edward James Fox, Jr.
 Michael Freitas, Jr.
 § * William James Gibney, Jr.
 Peter Paul Gossic, Jr.
 * Robert Ned Gurnitz
 Thomas Gerald Harrington
 Clifford Joseph Hoole</p> | <p>* Barbara Ann Horan
 Joanne Deborah Hrenko
 Frederick Edward Jackson
 * Elizabeth King
 June Marie Lawton
 Francis X. Lynch, Jr.
 Priscilla Cook Lodge
 Betsy Longshaw
 Edward James Lopes
 Eileen Elizabeth Mella
 Charles Mendes, Jr.
 * Kathleen Anne Miguel
 Helen Louise Miranda
 Rose-Marie Moisan
 Sheila Jean Murphy
 * Robert James Nichols
 John Nordeste III
 Edward Oliveira
 * Austin Joseph O'Toole, Jr.
 Edward Oliver Ouellette
 Paul Danald Ouimet
 Margaret Mary Pacheca
 Robert Louis Pannani
 Antoinette P. Parent
 Marcia Parrott
 * Janet Linda Perry
 Jahn Rebello
 August Reis
 Jeanette Rostek
 Marianne Rose Russo
 Daniel Joseph Salmon, Jr.
 * Lucyanne Sawyer
 Beverly Anne Smith
 Richard Smith
 Barbara Stone
 § David William Sullivan
 Richard William Swain
 Jacqueline Lockett Vargas
 Marilyn Verros
 Robert T. Violette
 * Barbara Jane Weeden
 * Leonard Bryan Wood</p> |
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- * Joseph Michael Zagorski
- * Honar pupils (pupils who have obtained A or B in twelve whole units of work in four consecutive years.)
- § Three years perfect attendance.
- The Citizenship Medal is presented by Warren S. Hathaway Post No. 228 American Legion.
- The Somerset Lions Club Scholarship is presented by the Somerset Lions Club.
- The Somerset Parent-Teachers Association Scholarship is presented by the Parent-Teacher Associations of the Town of Somerset.
- The Somerset Teachers Club Scholarship is presented by the Somerset Teachers Club.
- The Edith Merle Cook Scholarship is presented by the Somerset Woman's Club, Inc.
- The Good Citizenship Certificate is presented by the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution.
- The Student Council Award is presented by the Student Association of Somerset High School.

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CLASS OFFICERS

President Robert James Nichols
Vice-President Joan Louise Bridgeman
Secretary Eulolio Almeida
Treasurer Charles Mendes, Jr.

CLASS MARSHAL

Robert F. Souza

SCHOOL OFFICERS

President of Student Association William James Gibney, Jr.
Treasurer of Student Association Clifford Joseph Hoole
Student Councillor Morjorie Joyce Durfee
Student Councillor Joseph Michael Zogorski

SCHOOL MOTTO

"Carpe Diem"

SCHOOL COLORS

Blue and White

PIANIST

Michael J. Lombordo

DIRECTOR OF MUSIC

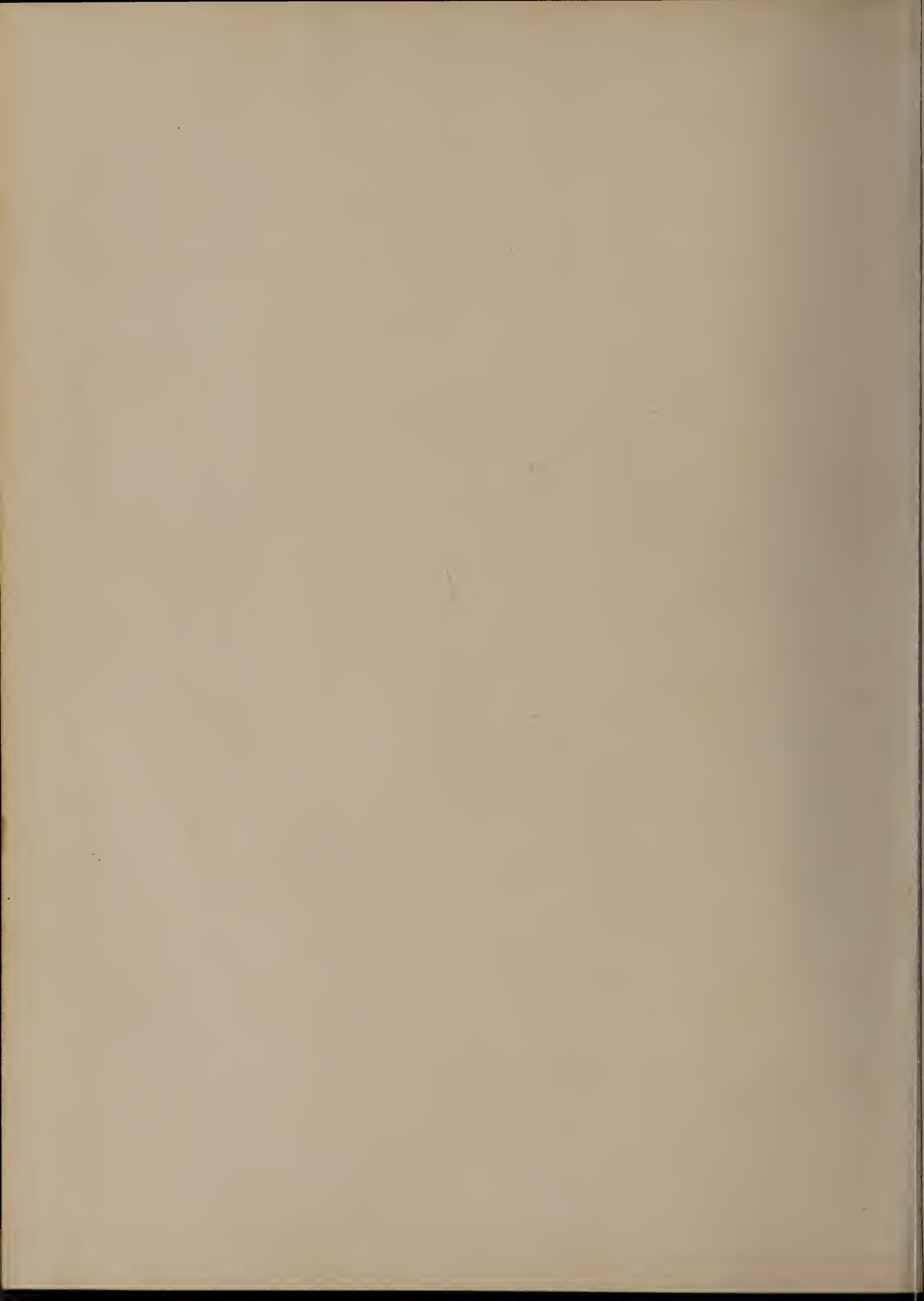
Poul L. Gayzagian

"Walk—while you have the light . . .
Lest darkness come upon you."

—Record Book

Anne Reseigh





*"Walk — while you have the
light . . .*



*Lest darkness come upon
you."*

*Class of 1956
Somerset High School
Somerset, Massachusetts*

Dedication



In recognition of his devoted service to Somerset High School, the Class of 1956 gratefully dedicates Memoirs to Mr. Edward J. Kaylor.

As a teacher he instills in his students enthusiasm and an avid desire to learn. Mr. Kaylor's classes are made fascinating by his keen wit and vast store of knowledge.

His diligent work in the guidance department of Somerset High School has merited him the acclaim of faculty and students alike. Ability to understand a student's problem and patience to direct the student to making a sound decision are chief attributes in his success as a counselor. His kindly words of encouragement inspire many to earnestly seek their goals. A tribute to his untiring efforts is the broad guidance program now offered at Somerset High School. "A man of dignity and understanding" he radiates geniality and wisdom.



MR. O'TOOLE



Administration



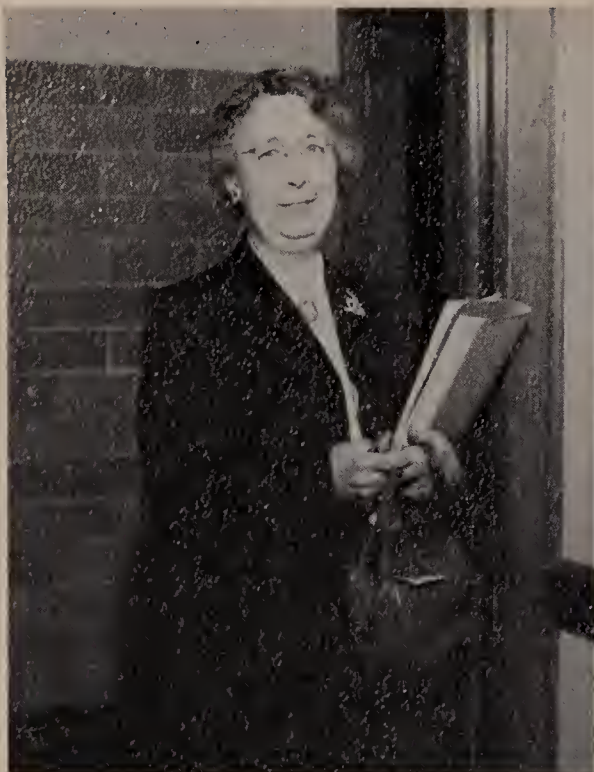
MR. KILGREW



MISS MASON



MRS. WHITNEY



MISS GREENE



MR. MORRIS



MISS SCANLON



MR. KAYLOR

*Jack
Kaylor*



MR. GAYZAGIAN

*Best of Luck to an
outstanding student and
musician - your progress
and accomplishments have
been excellent!!
R. Gayzagian*



MR. O'BRIEN



MR. KEARNS



MISS BACHAND



MR. KINEAVY



MISS WALSH

*Best wishes, Anne
J. Kineavy*

*Hope your yearbook
will be as good as this!
Best wishes
M. L. Walsh*



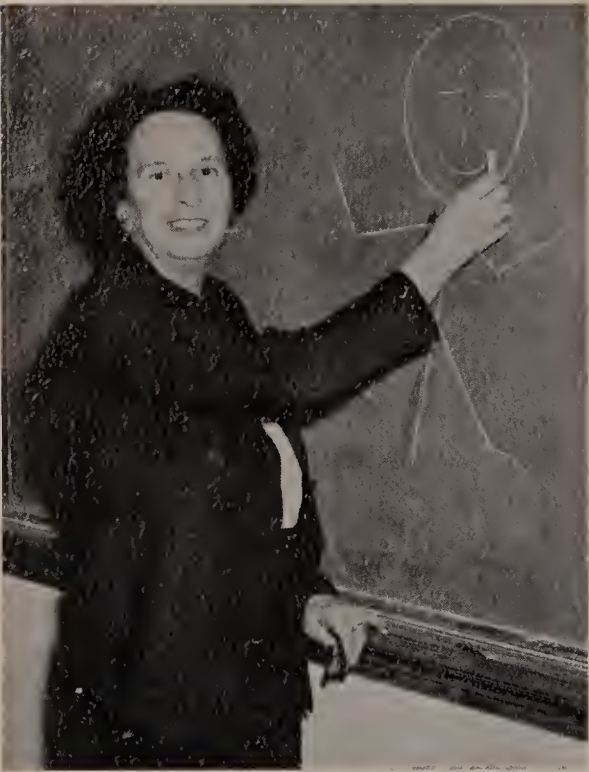
MISS WORTON



MR. SIMPSON



MISS LOUREIRO



MRS. TRAYNOR

BEST WISHES FOR
THE "BIG YEAR"
AHEAD — AND FOR
ALWAYS!

Mr. Luti



MR. LUTI



MR. SANDOMIERSKI



MR. MATTE

Best wishes Cymelene
David R. Knecht

ANNE — THE WORLD'S
FINEST DRIVER



MR. MAHONEY

Culinary, Sanitorial, and Janitorial Staffs





Class

As dusk comes upon me and light begins to fade, I will rub my magic lamp and try to recall some of the most treasured memories of three outstanding years at Somerset High School.

The air begins to clear and the first scene visible is that of the opening assembly. As Sophomores, the first task was selecting officers to head our class. Under Mr. Kineavy's capable supervision, the following officers were chosen: President, Cliff Hoole; Vice President, Judy Borge; Secretary, Lolly Almeida; Treasurer, Bob Nichols; Girl Councillor, Marge Durfee; Boy Councillor, Bill Cordeiro. The next project was to sponsor a dance to help establish a class treasury, and "Winter Wonderland" was a great success. By then, we were in the swing of things, and before we realized it, our first year of high school was over and summer was upon us.

Filled with the anticipation of another exciting year, we gathered in the auditorium for the first class meeting as Juniors. The officers chosen to guide us through this important year were: President, Bob Nichols; Vice President, Joan Bridgeman; Secretary, Kathy Miguel; Treasurer, Charlie Mendes; Girl Councillor, Marge Durfee; Boy Councillor, Roland Bernardo. Honors were bestowed upon Penny Cook and Lolly Almeida who were elected Vice President and Secretary, respectively, of the S.A.A. Our next class problem was the choosing of rings.

Both the social and athletic seasons were successful for the Juniors. Under the supervision of Miss Bachand, our advisor, the class sponsored a dance, and early in the Spring, preparations were begun for the spectacular event of the year—the Junior-Senior Prom. The motif was Neptune's Court and the entire affair was a magnificent success. Coaches Simpson, Kearns, Kineavy and Luti guided their respective teams through victorious seasons—climaxing a wonderful year.



History

September, 1955 was the beginning of the best year of all. The dream of every underclassman had finally been fulfilled—we were Seniors at last! Under the supervision of Miss Mason, class officers were chosen to guide us through the final year: President, Bob Nichols; Vice President, Joan Bridgeman; Secretary, Lolly Almeida; Treasurer, Charlie Mendes; Girl Councillor, Marge Durfee; Boy Councillor, Joe Zagorski. Bill Gibney and Cliff Hoole were selected to head the school government as President and Treasurer, respectively, of the S.A.A.

One of the most outstanding activities of this year, *Memoirs*, was begun immediately. Joan Bridgeman received top honors as Editor, and Miss Walsh served her fifth year as its capable and hard-working advisor.

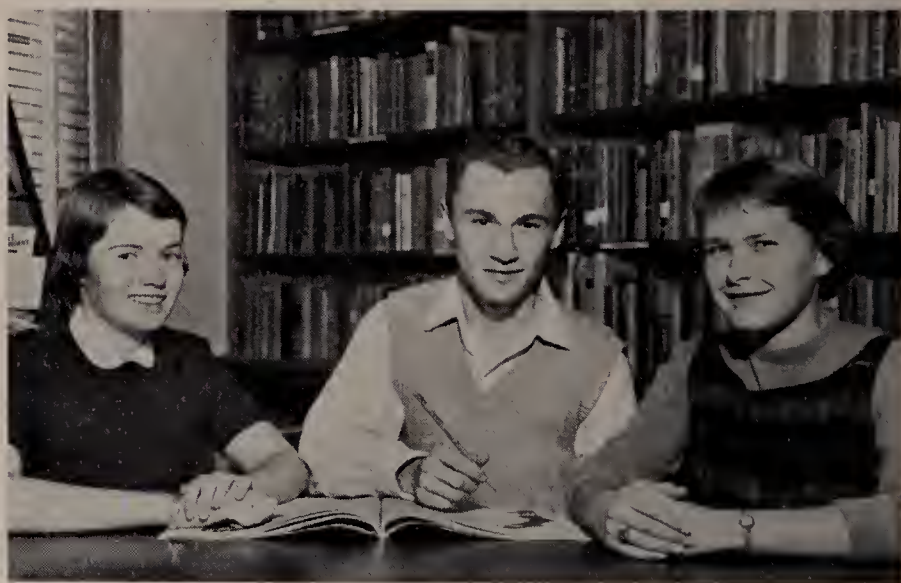
The Football season was most successful, with the exception of the Thanksgiving Day game, when we regretfully relinquished the 49-ers trophy to Case. The Basketball, Baseball, and Track teams all had enviable records.

With the excitement of exchanging pictures, Senior Orals, the prom, and receiving the yearbooks, time really had flown, and we were rehearsing for graduation. Graduation! the very thing we had talked about and waited for for so long. Through the happy blur of receiving diplomas, congratulations, and the excitement, we felt a little saddened, for we realized that we were leaving an important part of our lives behind.

Now as the images begin to fade in the haze of the lamp, I see before me uncertainty and confusion, but I feel reassured knowing that the very best of opportunities and assistance was given to us, both as individuals and as a class, by the ever-available, capable, and loyal faculty. We all believe that "fond memories of Somerset will be a guiding light" in the future.



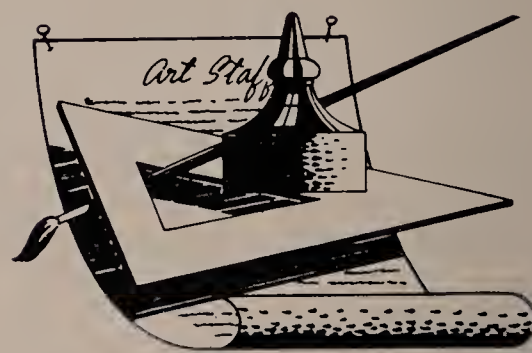
Memiors Staff



ART STAFF



BUSINESS STAFF



LITERARY STAFF



Seniors





EULALIA ALMEIDA

"Lolly"

Trademark: Zest for Living

"Personality is to a woman what perfume is to a flower."

SAA Secretary 3; Class Secretary 2, 4; Special Glee Club 4; Junior Shorthand Club Secretary; Senior Shorthand Club Vice President; Modern Dance Secretary 3.



LORRAINE ANTONE

"Anti"

Trademark: Neckerchiefs

"One of the greatest pleasures in life is conversation."

Modern Dance 3, 4; Senior Shorthand Club; Art Squad 2, 3, 4; Cafeteria Cashier 4.



ROLAND BERNARDO

"Tex"

Trademark: Ambition

"Virtue proceeds through effort."

Dramatic Club 3; Breeze 4; Honor Society 4; Driver Education 3; Mixed Chorus 3, 4; Double Quartet 3; Junior Red Cross 4; Junior Boy Councilor.



EDWARD BIENVENUE

"Eddie"

Trademark: Black Chevy

"His ways are quiet and happy ones."



JUDITH ANNE BORGE

"Judi"

Trademark: Height

"The wild, the free and the happy one."

Breeze 2, 3, Assistant Editor 4; SAA Vice President 2; Girls' Basketball 2; Dramatic Club 2; Girls' Chorus 2; Driver Education 2.



DAVID BOTELHO

"Dave"

Trademark: Taciturnity

"In quietness and confidence shall be my strength."

Memoirs 4; Junior Red Cross 4; Photography Club 3; Projectionists 3; Le Cercle Francais 3, 4.



BARBARA BRETON

"Babs"

Trademark: Curly hair

"To friendship every burden's light."

Modern Dance 3.



JOAN LOUISE BRIDGEMAN

"Joanie"

Trademark: Bass-drum

"Nothing great was ever achieved without enthusiasm."

Memoirs Editor 4; Student Council 3, 4; Le Cercle Francais 3, 4; Girls' Basketball 3, 4; Band 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 2, 3; Special Glee Club 2, Vice President 3, President 4; Dramatic Club Vice President 2; Beauty Parlor Trio 2, 3; Double Quartet 2, 3, 4; Cafeteria Cashier 4; Mixed Chorus 2, 3, 4.



JOYCE HELENE BROCKMAN

"Joycie"

Trademark: Pony tail

"The only way to have friends is to be one."

Pep Squad 2, 3; Memoirs 4; Dramatic Club 2, 3, 4; Breeze 2, 3, 4; Driver Education 2, 3; Cafeteria Cashier 3.



HELEN LOUISE BURGESS

"Hel Bee"

Trademark: Temper

"Mix reason with pleasure and season with mirth."

Breeze 3; Driver Education 2; Major-ettes 2, 3, 4; Junior Shorthand Club.



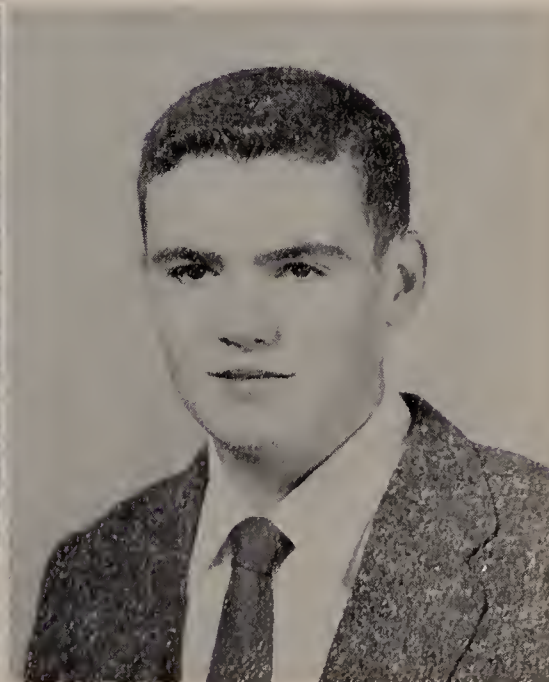
CAROLYN BUTLER

"Buttons"

Trademark: "Dighton"

"Self-trust is the first secret of success."

Modern Dance 3, 4; Driver Education 2; Cafeteria Cashier 3; Girls' Chorus 2; Commercial Club 3; Photography Club 4.

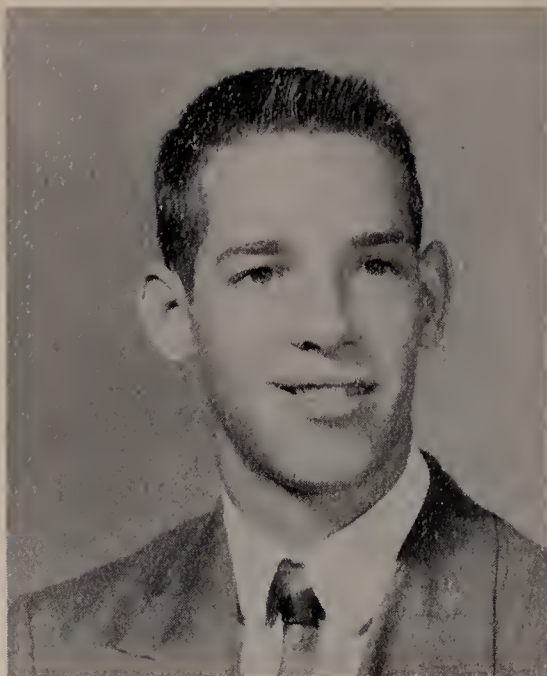


MARSHALL CADORETTE

Trademark: Hot Rods

"Everything comes if a man will only wait."

Shop Activities 2, 4.



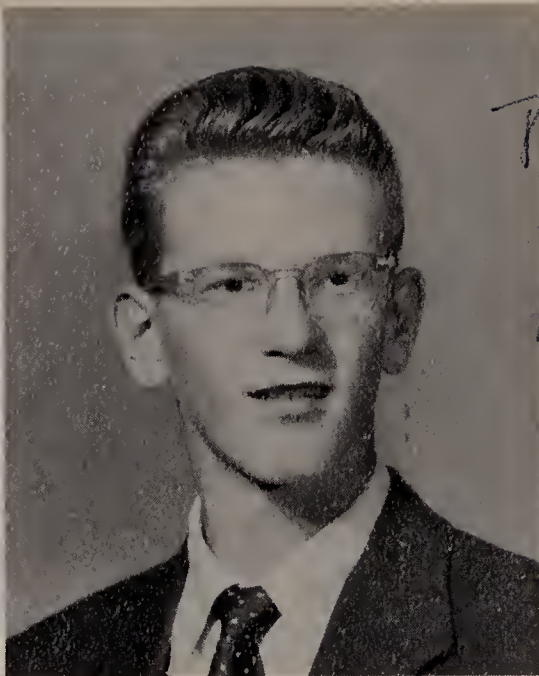
JOHN CAHILL

"Jackie"

Trademark: Cafeteria

"Push on—keep moving."

Art Squad 3, 4; Track 3, 4.



ROBERT CANTY

"Bob"

Trademark: His collections

"Thoughts are mightier than strength of hand."

Photography Club 3, 4; Projectionists 3; Mixed Chorus 3.



JEANNE CARON

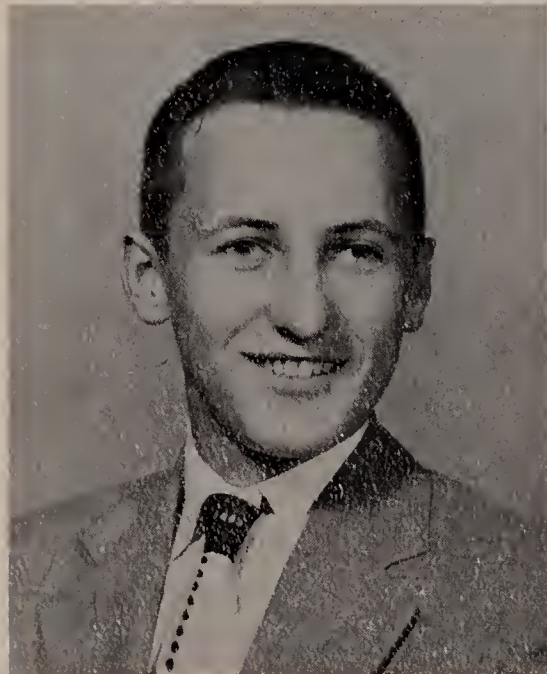
"Jean"

Trademark: Sparkling eyes

"Every joy is gain however small."

Girls' Chorus 2; Modern Dance 3.

*My Jane
lots of
luck
in your
future
years at
S. H. S.
Best wishes
Jeanne*



RAYMOND CARON

"Ray"

Trademark:

"Smiles, like the sun, brighten every object on which they shine."

Driver Education 3; Shop Activities 4.



LOIS CHACE

"Lois"

Trademark: Sense of humor

"Cheerfulness throws sunlight on all the paths of life."

Driver Education 2; Modern Dance 3; Photography Club 4.



SYLVIA CHACE

"Syl"

Trademark: White megaphone

"Eyes as dark as the sky, smile as bright as the stars."

Dramatic Club 2, 4; Driver Education 2, 3; Gym Specialties 3; Mixed Chorus 3, 4; Special Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Cafeteria Worker 3, 4; Pep Squad 2; Cheerleader 3, Head 4; Tri-Hi-Y 3.



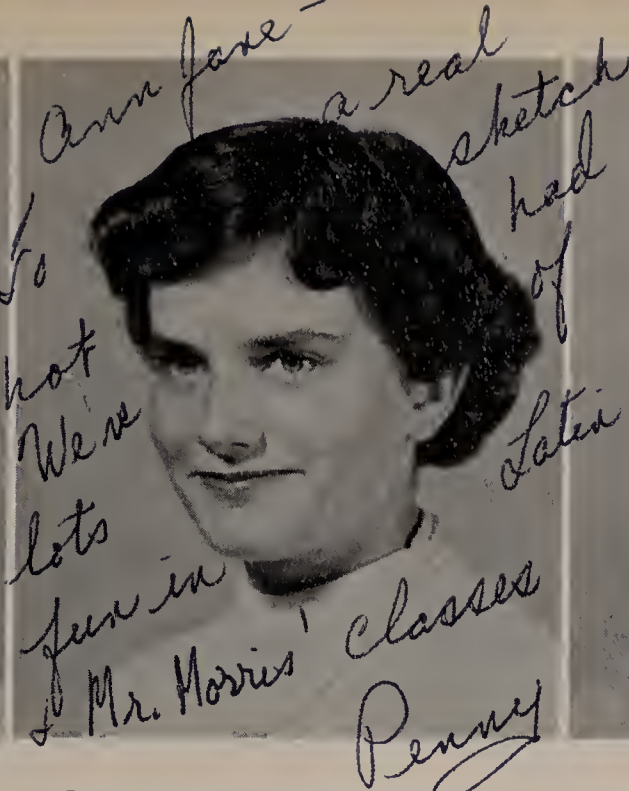
PAULINE MARGUERITTE
CHAGNON

"Chag"

Trademark: Mischievousness

"Her voice was ever soft and low; an excellent thing in a woman."

Driver Education 3; Honor Society 4; Junior Shorthand Club Vice President 3; Senior Shorthand Club.

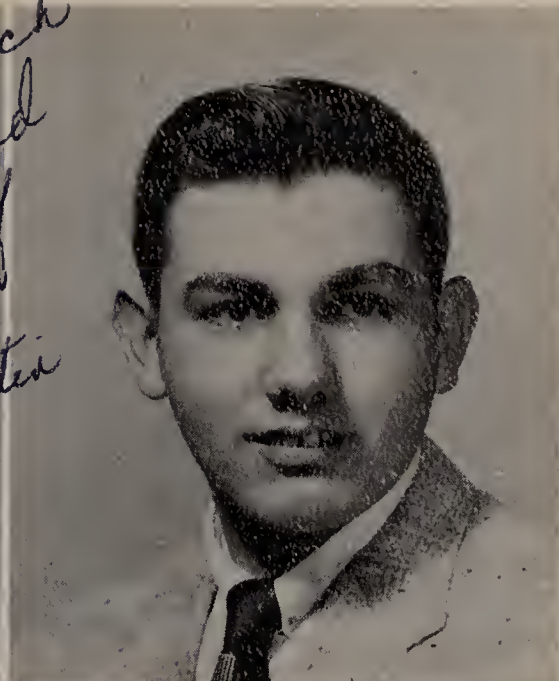


PENELOPE THERESA COOK
"Penny"

Trademark: Pep

"Some that smile have in their hearts, I fear, millions of mischief."

Memoirs 4; Junior Red Cross Council 3, 4; Le Cercle Francais 3, Secretary 4; Honor Society Treasurer; SAA Vice President 3; Special Glee Club 3; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Dramatic Club 4; Driver Education 3; Track 4; Pep Squad 2; Cafeteria Cashier 4.



JOHN ALFRED CORDEIRO
"Bucky Babe"

Trademark: His collection of pinups

"His own character is the arbiter of everyone's fortune."

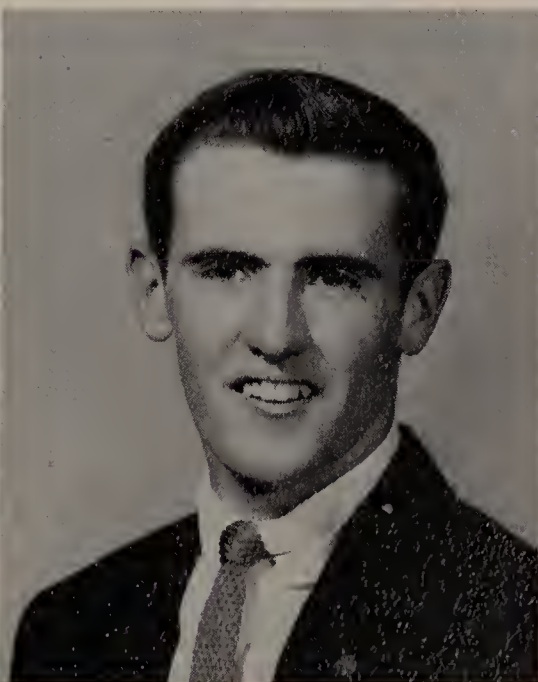


ROLAND CORDEIRO
"Chourico"

Trademark: His shotgun and hunting boots.

"A-hunting we will go."

Football 2, 3, 4; Basketball Manager 4.

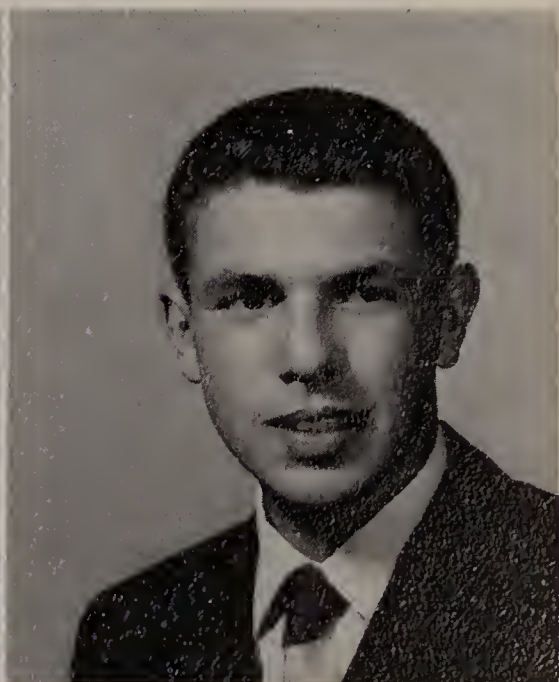


WILLIAM JOSEPH CORDEIRO
"Coot"

Trademark: His "wife"

"The world was sad; the hermit sighed —till woman smiled."

Baseball 2, 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Football 2, 3, 4; Track 2; Gym Specialties 3; Sophomore Boy Councillor.

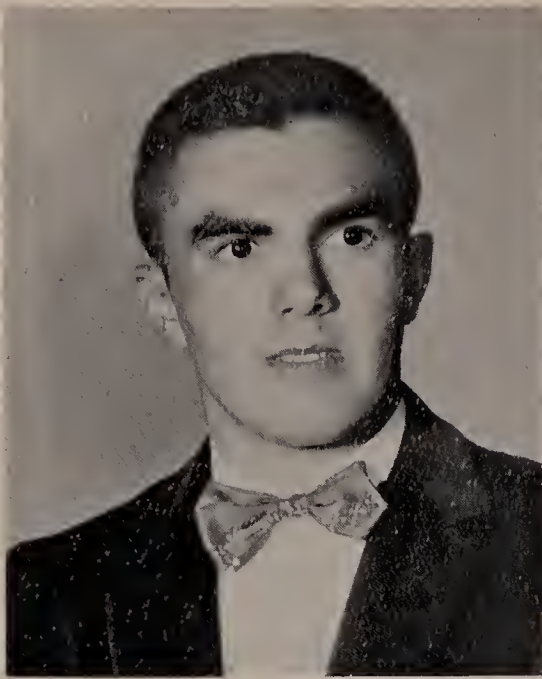


JESSE CORREA
"Carew"

Trademark: Catalogs

"A man he seems of cheerful yesterdays and confident tomorrows."

Gym Specialties 3, 4.



JOSEPH COSTA

"Joe"

Trademark: Read's Corner Gang

"Reading maketh a full man."

Memoirs 4; Football 2, 3, 4; Projectionists 3, 4; Gym Specialties 3; Honor Society 3, 4.



ANN COUNTOURIOTIS

"Countess"

Trademark: Her Hair

"Patient of toil, serene amidst alarms."

Girls' Chorus 2.



SANDRA DAVENPORT

"Davy"

Trademark: Talkative

"That virtue was sufficient of herself for happiness."

Driver Education 3; Dramatic Club 2, 3, 4; Mixed Chorus 3; Special Glee Club 2, 3, 4.



HENRY DEMARCO

"Butch" "Henu"

Trademark: Gesticulating

"Honor lies in honest toil."

Memoirs 4; Baseball 2; Football 2, 3, 4; Track 3, 4; Round Table 3, Vice President 4; Band 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 2, 3; Mixed Chorus 2, 3, 4; Honor Society 3, President 4; Le Cercle Francais 3, Treasurer 4.



EARLE DENNIS

"Big Earle"

Trademark: His Pipes

"As a wit, if not first, in the very first line."

Memoirs 4; Round Table 3, 4; Gym Specialties 3; Football 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3, Co-Captain 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Track 4.



MANUEL SOUZA DIAS

"Manny"

Trademark: Vicious softshoe

"He is so good he will pour rose-water on a toad."

Breeze 2; Tumbling 2.

*Best of luck
always.
Nancy*



NANCY GRETCHEN DICKISON

"Dickie"

Trademark: Manners

"Her air, her manners, all who saw admired, courteous though coy, gentle though retired."



MAJORIE JOYCE DURFEE

"Marg"

Trademark: "Coot"

"She that was ever fair and never proud, had tongue at will and yet was never loud."

Girl Councillor 2, 3, 4; Pep Squad 2, 3; Special Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Mixed Chorus 3.



CAROL FRANCES DWYER

"Gogel"

Trademark: Artistic ability

"From a little spark may burst a mighty flame."

Memoirs 4; Special Glee Club 3; Junior Red Cross Vice President 4; Dramatic Club 2, 3, 4; Breeze 2; Girls' Chorus 2; Le Cercle Francais 3.



BARBARA RESIGNA
EISENHARDT

"Eisic"

Trademark: Sophistication

"Unthinking, idle, wild, and young, laugh'd and talk'd and sung."

Dramatic Club 2, 3, 4; Driver Education 2; Music Appreciation 3; Breeze 4; Junior Shorthand Club; Commercial Club 3.



ARTHUR FRED EMMETT

"Art"

Trademark: Sharp cars

"True ambition there resides."

Memoirs 4; Band 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 2, 3; Mixed Chorus 2, 3; Honor Society 3, 4; Le Cercle Francais 4.



BARBARA CAROL FOULDS

"Bobo"

Trademark: Friendliness

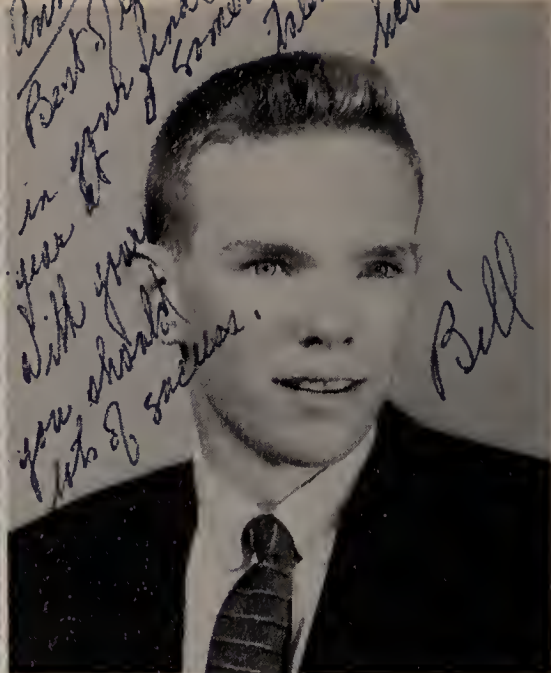
"Full of fun and fancy free."

Memoirs 4; Breeze 2, 3; Exchange Editor 4; Dramatic Club 2, 3, 4; Art Squad 3; Girls' Chorus 2; Pep Squad 3; Cheerleader 4; Le Cercle Francais 3, 4.

*None
Best of luck in
the remaining years
at SHS.
She
work
Art*

*Ann
Best of luck in
your senior year.*

*Remember me,
Bobo*



EDWARD JAMES FOX

"Foxy"

Trademark: Green Chevy Convertible

"A light heart lives long."

Tumbling 2, 3, 4.

MICHAEL FREITAS

"Mickey"

Trademark: Teasing

"You'd never guess what is going on inside of him."

Football 2, 3, 4; Junior Red Cross 2; Gym Specialties 3, 4.

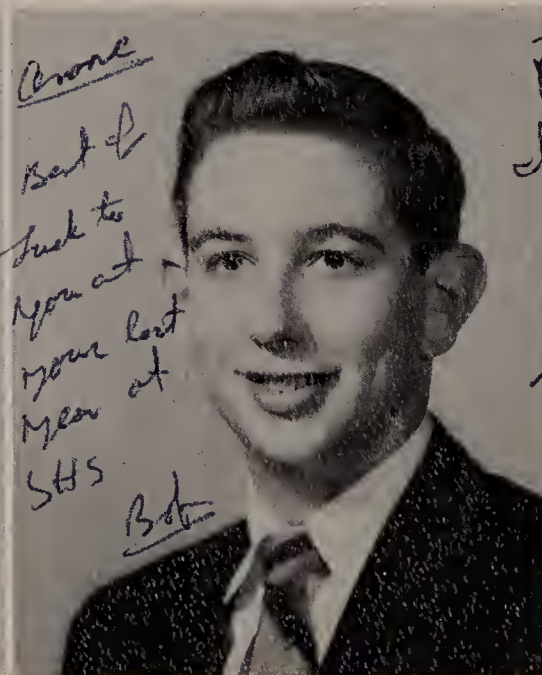
WILLIAM JAMES GIBNEY

"Billy"

Trademark: Casualness

"He smilingly takes the world in his hands."

Memoirs 4; Band 2, 3, 4; SAA President 4; Boys' Chorus 2, 3; Junior Red Cross 3; Mixed Chorus 2; Orchestra 2, 3; Round Table 3, 4; Breeze Sports Editor 4; Honor Society 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Le Cercle Francais 3, 4.



PETER PAUL GOSSIC

"Pete"

Trademark: Sideburns

"He'll find a way."

ROBERT NED GURNITZ

"Moe"

Trademark: Trombone

"Circumstances alter cases."

Memoirs 4; Round Table 4; Honor Society 3, 4; Orchestra 2, 3, 4; Band 2, 3, 4; Mixed Chorus 2, 3; Le Cercle Francais 3, 4; Boys' Chorus 2, 3.

THOMAS HARRINGTON

"Ding"

Trademark: Height

"Thoughts are mightier than strength of hand."

Memoirs 4; Breeze 2, 3, 4; Basketball 2, 4; Football 2, 3, 4; Baseball 2, 4; Driver Education 2; Le Cercle Francais 3; President 4; Track 3, 4; Honor Society 4.



CLIFFORD JOSEPH HOOLE

"Whale"

Trademark: "Plaid belts"

"A handsome youth, lighthearted and content, he wanders thru the world."

Baseball 4; Basketball 2; Football 2, 3, Co-Captain 4; Track 2, 3; Driver Education 2; Student Council 2, 4; Tumbling 3, 4.



BARBARA HORAN

"Bobbi"

Trademark:

"A daughter of the gods divinely tall and most divinely fair."

Basketball 4.



JOANNE HRENKO

"Joanne"

Trademark: "Giggle"

"A comrade blithe and full of glee, who dares to laugh out loud and free."

Breeze 4; Modern Dance 3; Junior Shorthand Club; Senior Shorthand Club; Mixed Chorus 2; Special Glee Club 4.

*Don't - cannot
Words cannot
express that I feel
about the wonderful
help you've been
to me.
"May the wind lead your back
up to me and you
hold you in
my God always hold you in
the palm of His hand"*



FREDERICK JACKSON

"Freddy"

Trademark: Quiet Manners

"Silence is golden."

Driver Education 3; Junior Red Cross 2, 3, 4.



ELIZABETH KING

"Liz"

Trademark: Voice

"She speaks and behaves just as she ought."

Memoirs Assistant Editor 4; Mixed Chorus 2, 3; Special Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Double Quartet 3; Beauty Parlor Trio 2, 3; Le Cercle Francais 3, 4; Breeze 2, 3, Editor 4; Dramatic Club 2, 3; Cafeteria Cashier 4; Honor Society 3, 4.



JUNE LAWTON

"June"

Trademark: Newberry's

"Good humor teaches charm to last."

Junior Shorthand Treasurer; Senior Shorthand Treasurer; Driver Education 3, 4.

*Always
Liz*

"Carry On"



JOHN RONALD LINCOLN

"Ronnie"

Trademark: Taunton High

"Why worry? Take it slow and easy!"

Orchestra 2, 3, 4; Band 2, 3; Track 2; Boys' Chorus 2, 3.



PRISCILLA COOK LODGE

"P. Lodge"

Trademark: Athletic Ability

"A friendship that like love is warm; a love like friendship steady."

Memoirs 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Track 2, 3, 4; Breeze 2, 3; Band 2, 4; Dramatic Club 2, Vice President 3, 4; Library Associates 4; Mixed Chorus 3, 4; Special Glee Club 2, 3, Vice President 4; Music Appreciation 3; Cafeteria Worker 4.



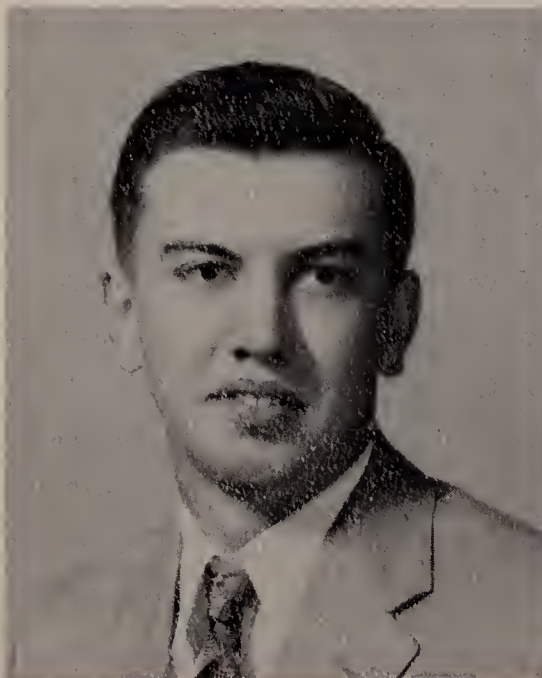
BETSY LONGSHAW

"Betsy"

Trademark: Laugh

"A merry heart that laughs at care."

Special Glee Club 2; Junior Shorthand Club; Photography Club 4.



EDWARD LOPES

"Lopez"

Trademark: Truck

"A time to keep silent and a time to speak."



FRANCIS XAVIER LYNCH

"X"

Trademark: Checking Coats

"What should a man do but be merry?"

Shop Activities 2; Gym Specialties 2, 4.



EILEEN ELIZABETH MELLO

"Mellow"

Trademark: Blouses

"Gentle and kind are her ways."

Modern Dance 3, 4; Junior Shorthand Club; Senior Shorthand Club; Driver Education 2, 3; Mixed Chorus 3; Special Glee Club 3, 4.



CHARLES MENDES

"Vouse"

Trademark: "The Gob Shop"

"By the work, one knows the workman."

Memoirs 4; Art Squad 2; Tumbling 3, 4; Track 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Junior Red Cross 3; SAA Treasurer 3, 4; Driver Education 3; Baseball 2, 3, Co-Captain 4; Round Table 4.

KATHLEEN ANNE MIGUEL

"Kathy"

Trademark: Petiteness

"Small and wise, she's a terror for her size."

Memoirs 4; Breeze 4; Tri-Hi-Y 3; Class Secretary 3; Girls' Chorus 2; General Chorus 3; Special Glee Club 3; Junior Shorthand Club; Senior Shorthand Club; Honor Society Secretary 4; Cafeteria Worker 2.

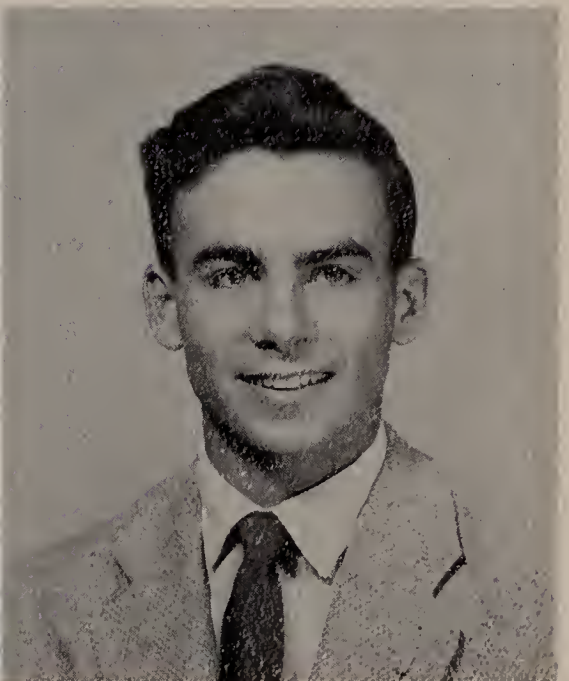
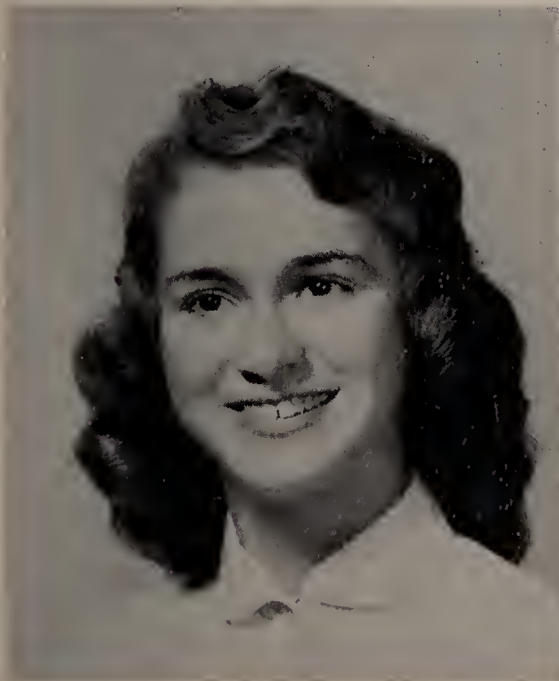
HELEN LOUISE MIRANDA

"Hel"

Trademark: Her Bounce

"It's nice to be natural, when you're naturally nice."

Tri-Hi-Y 3; General Chorus 3; Girls' Chorus 2; Junior Shorthand Club; Art Squad 4; Pep Squad 3; Driver Education 3; Photography Club 4; Cafeteria Worker 2.



ROSE MARIE MOISAN

"Rosie"

Trademark: Her Smile

"A merry heart doeth good like medicine."

Modern Dance 4; Driver Education 3; Shorthand Club 3; Photography Club 4; General Chorus 3; Girls' Chorus 2.

SHEILA JEAN MURPHY

"Murph"

Trademark: Sincerity

"Many daughters hath done virtuously, but thou excellest them all."

Dramatic Club 2, 3, Secretary 4; Junior Shorthand Club President; Senior Shorthand Club President; Junior Red Cross Secretary 3, 4; Girls' Chorus 2; General Chorus Secretary 3.

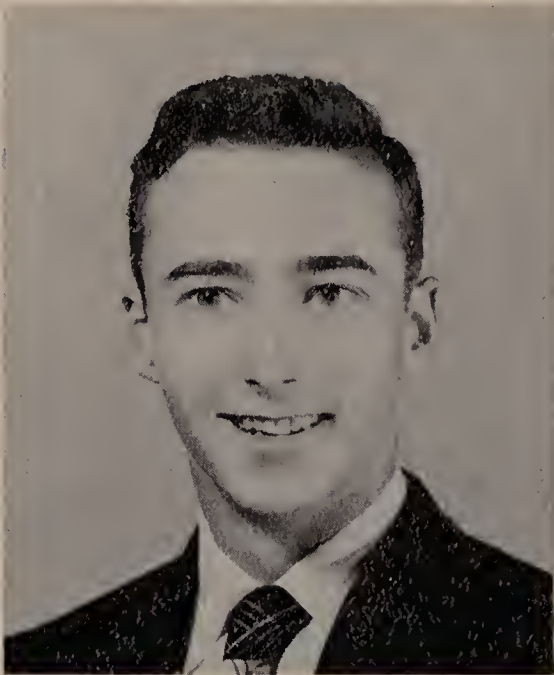
ROBERT JAMES NICHOLS

"Bobby"

Trademark: Leadership

"Which I have earned with the sweat of my brow."

Memoirs Business Manager 4; Football 3, 4; Track 3, 4, Captain 4; Round Table 4; Honor Society 3, 4; Boys' Chorus 4; Class Treasurer 2; Class President 3, 4.



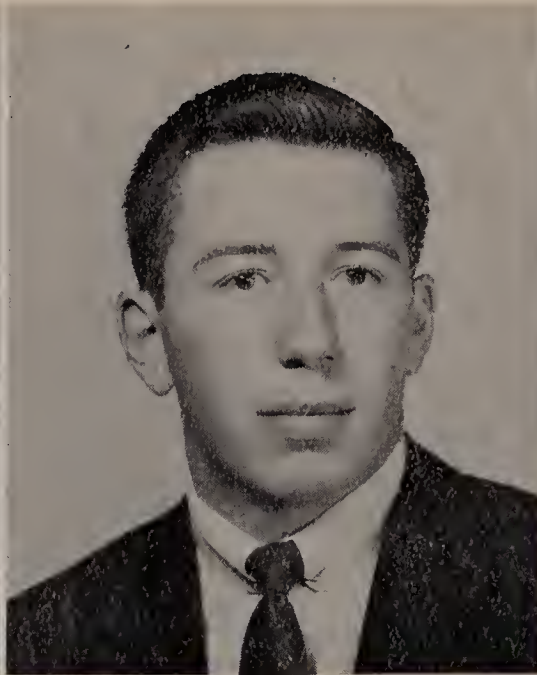
JOHN NORDESTE, III

"Johnny"

Trademark: Buncy and the boys

"Mark the perfect man and behold the upright."

Track 2, 3, 4; Dramatic Club 4.



EDWARD OLIVEIRA

"Eddie"

Trademark: Roughness

"Thou art the man."

Baseball 3, 4; Basketball 2; Football 2, 3, Co-Captain 4; Track 2, 3, 4; Round Table 4; Gym Specialties 3, 4; Tumbling 3.



AUSTIN JOSEPH O'TOOLE, JR.

"Austin"

Trademark: His Wit

"The opinion of the strongest is always the best."

Memoirs Sports Editor 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Football 2, 3, 4; Round Table 3; Treasurer 4; Le Cercle Français 3, 4.



EDWARD OLIVER OUELLETTE

"Eddie"

Trademark: Yvette

"Thy modesty's a candle to thy merit."

Driver Education 2; Gym Specialties 3, 4.



PAUL DONALD OUIMET

"Worms"

Trademark: Drums

"What, never? Hardly ever!"

Band 3; Orchestra 3; Photography Club 4.



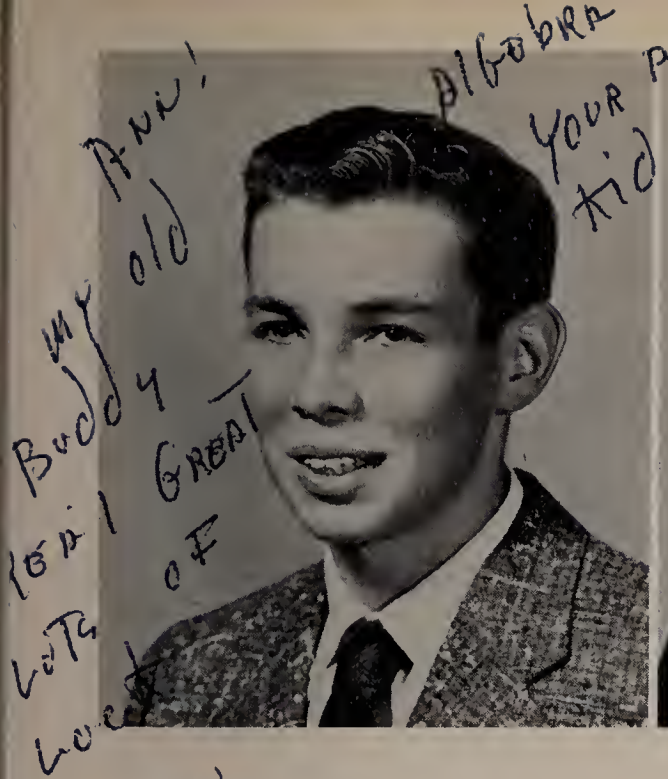
MARGARET MARY PACHECO

"Maggie"

Trademark: Weeds

"Her ways are ways of pleasantness, and all her paths are peace."

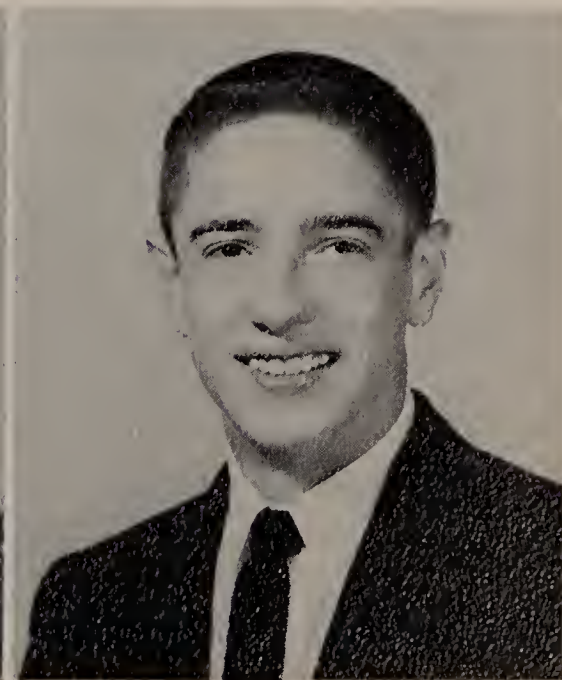
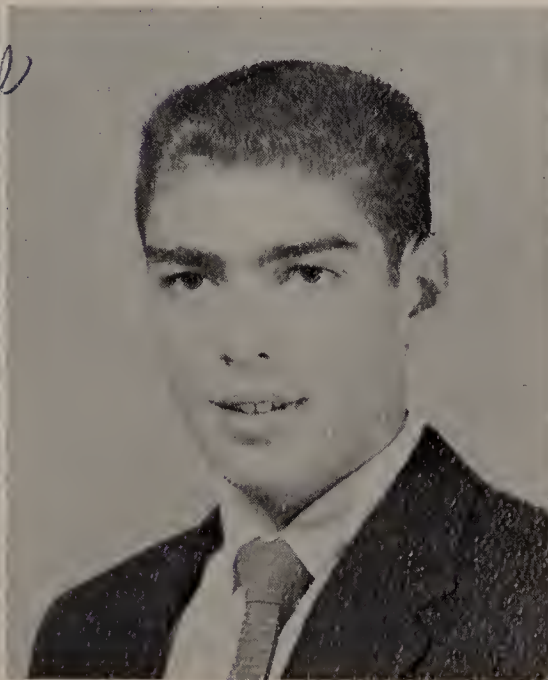
Memoirs 4; Girls' Chorus 2; General Chorus 3; Special Glee Club 4; Tri-Hi-Y 3; Inventory Clerk 4; Junior Shorthand Club; Senior Shorthand Club.



ROBERT LOUIS PANNONI
"Panon"
Trademark: "White Bucks"
"A merry heart maketh a cheerful countenance."
Round Table 4; Gym Specialties 2, 3; Photography Club 4.

ANTOINETTE PHILEMON
PARENT
"Ann"
Trademark: "Leotard"
"Let us trip it as we go, On the light fantastic toe."
Modern Dance 3, 4; Special Glee Club 3, 4; Junior Shorthand Club; Senior Shorthand Club; Commercial Club 3; Music Appreciation 2, 3.

MARCIA PARROTT
"Bit"
Trademark: "Marlon Brando"
"She is pretty to walk with—And witty to talk with—And pleasant to think of, too."
Track 2; Breeze 2, 3; Driver Education 4; Mixed Chorus 4; Special Glee Club 3, 4; Dramatic Club Treasurer 2, 3, 4; Cafeteria Worker 4.



JANET LINDA PERRY
"Jan"
Trademark: Blue-black hair
"A smile for all, a welcome glad, A jovial coaxing way she had."
Dramatic Club 3, 4, Secretary 2; Breeze 2, 3; Driver Education 4; Special Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Le Cercle Francais 3, 4; Cafeteria Cashier 4.

JOHN REBELLO
"Johnny"
Trademark: Curly hair
"Sing away sorrow, cast away care."

AUGUST FRANCIS REIS
"Augie"
Trademark: "Little Studebaker"
"Gay hope is theirs by fancy fed."
Tumbling 3.

To Anne
a fellow
sufferer in
Alz.
Told of
success
in your
Senior Year



JEANNETTE M. ROSTEK

"Jan"

Trademark: Train ticket to New York

"Her quiet unassuming manner brings forth her pleasing ways."

Driver Education 4.



Ann:
Lots of the
luck in the
future to a
girl.
Roose
goes
during
year of
Roose
S.H.S.

MARIANNE ROSE RUSSO

"Roose" "Mare"

Trademark: Jitterbug

"Beauty is a good letter of introduction."

Memoirs 4; Dramatic Club 2, 3, 4; Junior Shorthand Club; Senior Shorthand Club; Girls' Chorus 2; General Chorus 3; Special Glee Club 3, 4; Art Squad 4; Photography Club 4; Tri-Hi-Y 3; Cafeteria Inventory Clerk 4.



DANIEL SALMON

"Fish"

Trademark: Hoops

"It is a friendly heart that has plenty of friends."

Memoirs 4; Round Table 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3, Captain 4; Track 4; Tumbling 3; Junior Red Cross Vice President 3; Gym Specialties 3.

To Anne Jane!
Best of luck
to a very nice girl.
You will do great next
year and in future years.
I'll never
forget the
fun we've
had.
Love,
Luce



LUCYANNE SAWYER

"Luce"

Trademark: Calm, Cool, and Collected

"The secret of success is constancy to purpose."

Memoirs Literary Editor 4; Library Associates Treasurer 2, 3, Chairman 4; Photography Club 2; Le Cercle Francais 3, Vice President 4; Special Glee Club 3, 4; Orchestra 2, 3, 4.



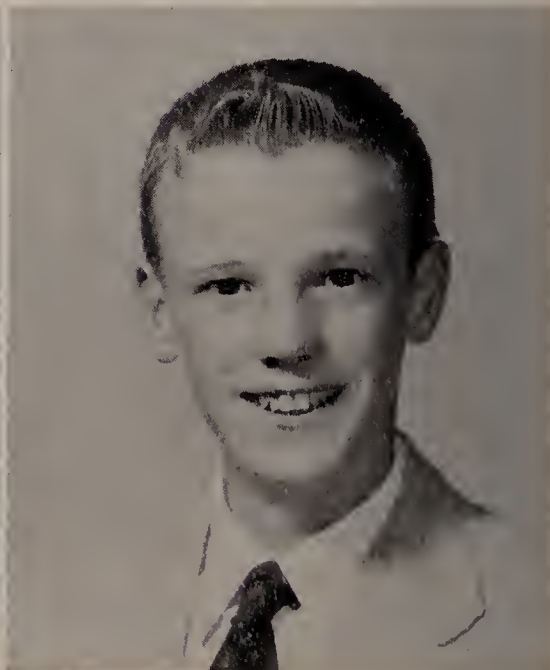
BEVERLY ANNE SMITH

"Bev" "Smitty"

Trademark: Her Chic

"Style is the dress of thoughts."

Memoirs 4; Driver Education 2; Pep Squad 2; Cafeteria 3; Librarian 4; Breeze 4; Majorette 4; Dramatic Club 2, President 3, 4; Mixed Chorus 3; General Chorus 3; Special Glee Club 3, 4.



RICHARD SMITH

"Bunce"

Trademark: Car

"A good nature is stronger than wealth."

Tumbling 3, 4; Dramatic Club 4.

*Anne-Jane,
 to a great under
 classmen. Best of
 luck next year and in
 the picture. Good luck with
 your future. Remember
 us always. To yellow skate,
 see, but
 fun!
 Barbara*



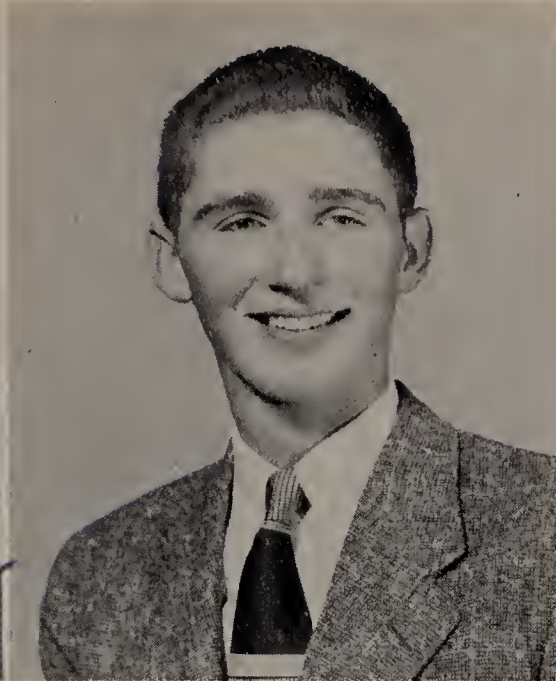
BARBARA STONE

"Barb"

Trademark: Blush

"Patience is a plant that grows not in all gardens."

Dramatic Club 2, 3, 4; Driver Education 3; Le Cercle Francais 3; Cafeteria Cashier 4.



DAVID SULLIVAN

"Dave" "Sully"

Trademark: Bunce

"In quietness and confidence shall be my strength."

Boys' Chorus 2.



RICHARD W. SWAIN

"Pussy" "Purcell"

Trademark: Softshoe

"A man's task is always light if his heart is light."

Tumbling 2, 3; Junior Red Cross 2.

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 your future. Remember
 us always. To yellow skate,
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 Barbara*



JACQUELINE ELIZABETH

VARGAS

"Jackie" "Peter"

Trademark: Baton

"The light that shines in a woman's eyes."

Majorettes 2, 3, Head 4; Driver Education 2; Tri-Hi-Y 3; Cafeteria Worker 3.



MARILYN VERROS

Trademark: Joviality

"Mix reason with pleasure and wisdom with mirth."

Memoirs 4; Dramatic Club 2, 3, 4; Special Glee Club 3, 4; Breeze 2, 3; Library Associates 2, 3, 4; Le Cercle Francais 3, 4; Cafeteria Cashier 4.



ROBERT VIOLETTE

"Bob"

Trademark: Broom

"A good man possesses a kingdom."

Shop 4.



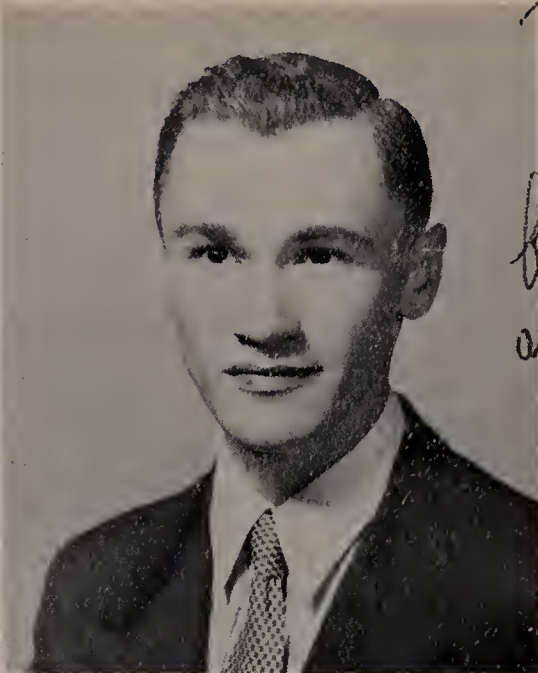
BARBARA WEEDEN

"Weed"

Trademark: Smile

"So well she acted all and every part, By turns—with that vivacious versatility."

Memoirs 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Dramatic Club 3; Honor Society 4; Driver Education 3; Library Associates 2, 3, 4; Mixed Chorus 2, 3, 4; Special Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Double Quartet 3, 4; Pep Squad 2, 3; Cheerleader 4; Tri-Hi-Y 3; Cafeteria Worker 3.



LEONARD WOOD

"Lenny" "Chick"

Trademark: Creativeness

"The artist is a rare breed."

Memoirs 4; Breeze 3, 4; Boys' Chorus 2; Driver Education 2; Mixed Chorus 2, 3, 4.



JOSEPH ZAGORSKI

"Kazorsk"

Trademark: Line of Chatter

"Men's conversations are like their lives."

Le Cercle Francais 3, 4; Band 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 2, 3, 4; Mixed Chorus 2, 3, 4; Boys' Chorus 2, 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Double Quartet 2, 3, 4.

Alma Mater

Hail Alma Mater! Hail to the school of our heart;
Through years of devotion we never will part.
We'll carry on for dear old Somerset;
Thy spirit will bring us the light.
With loyal hearts so true we pay our debt to you.
All hail to the Blue and the White!

Hail Alma Mater! Hail to the Blue and the White!
Thy glorious tradition forever be bright.
We'll carry on the torch of victory
In praise of your name and the right.
Forever and a day, to you we'll honor pay.
All hail to the Blue and the White!

Seniors

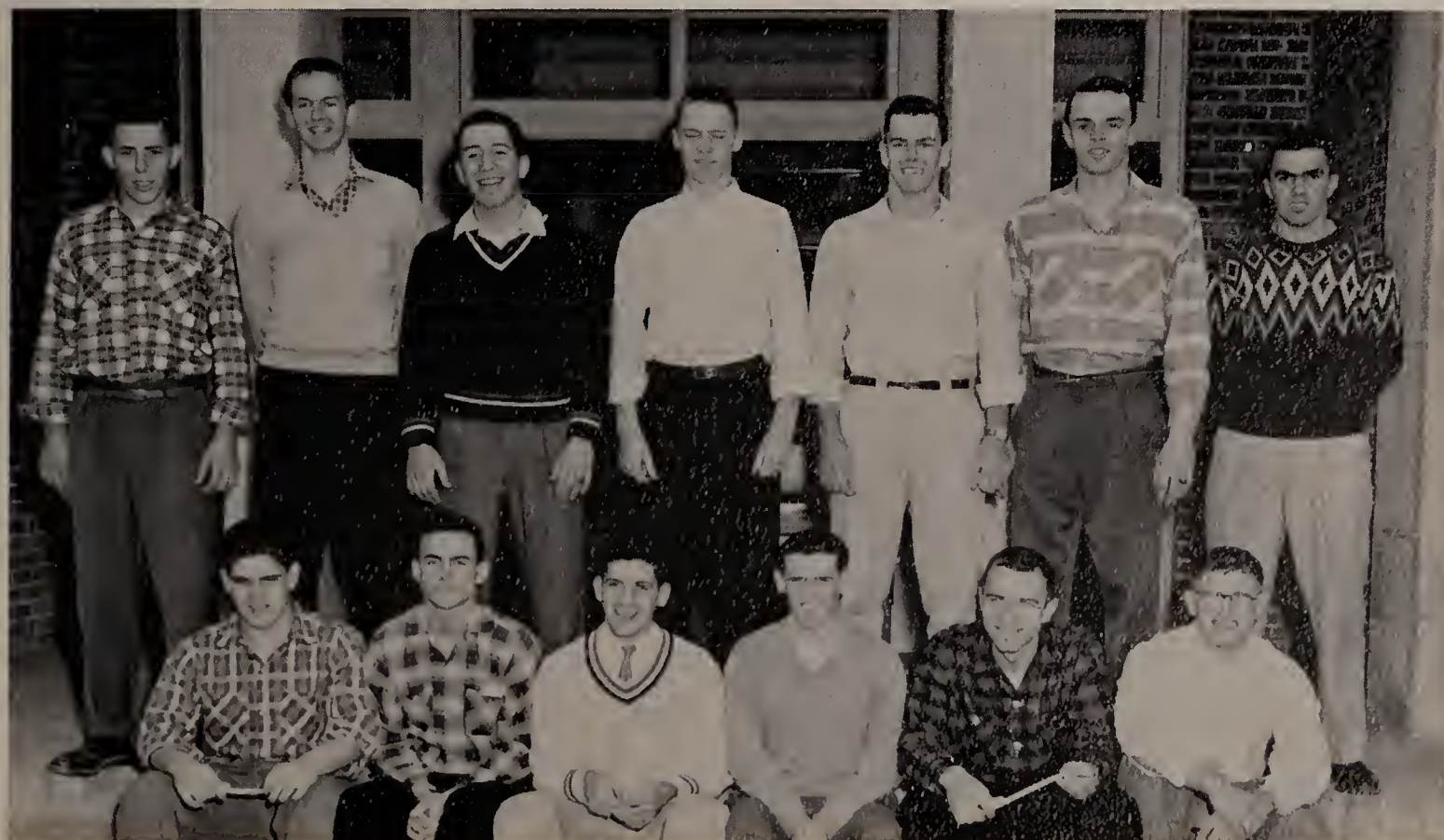


CLASS OFFICERS

Left to right: Marge Durfee, Charles Mendes, Lollis Almeida, Bob Nichols, Joan Bridgeman, Joe Zagorski.

OUTSTANDING ATHLETES

Standing, left to right: Roland Cordeiro, Dan Salmon, Ed Oliveira, Austin O'Toole, Cliff Hoole, Earle Dennis, Joe Costa. Sitting: Charlie Mendes, Bob Nichols, Mickey Freitas, Bill Cordeiro, Joe Zagorski, Henry DeMarco.





Class



We, the Class of 1956, being of sound mind and memory, do make, ordain, and publish this to be our last will and testament.

I, Joyce Brockman, leave my problems to my sister Lola. May she worm out of them as easily as I did.

I, Sylvia Chase, leave my patience to next year's head cheerleader. Without it she'd never last.

We, Margie Durfee and Bill Cordeiro, leave our ability to get along with each other to future "steadies."

I, Jesse Correa, leave my chickens for Mr. Knecht's dissecting experiments.

I, Joseph Costa, leave my debating ability to future "Malcontents" in Mr. O'Brien's Sociology class.

I, Ann Countouriotis, after managing my hair this long, don't leave it to anyone. I'm taking it!

We, Judy Borge and Jackie Vargas, leave our college friends to the "Gang of '57."

I, Henry DeMarco, leave my glasses to future American History students to transcribe Mr. Kineavy's writing.

I, Barbara Foulds, leave my Math IV class to any other lone girl with enough intestinal fortitude to take it.

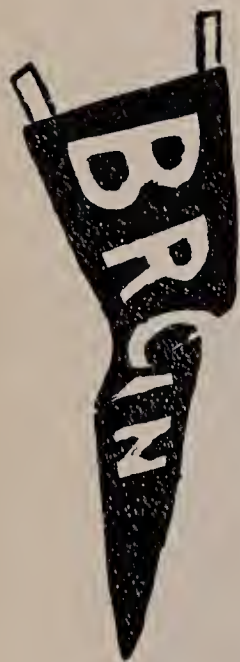
I, Elizabeth King, leave my singing voice to Miss Walsh.

I, Priscilla Lodge, leave my high-jumping record to future track stars.

I, Bob Nichols, leave my charm and leadership to future executives of SHS.

We, Carol Dwyer and Bev Smith, did leave for one day and suffered seven hours.

I, Mickey Freitas, leave my "harem" to any wallflower in the junior class.



Will

I, David Sullivan, leave my baby face to future post-graduate students.

I, Joe Zagorski, leave my tuba to Mr. "G." If he can fix it up, he can have it.

I, Nancy Dickison, leave my "Ma" as next year's official chauffeur.

I, Dan Salmon, leave my sharp red basketball shorts to "Little Fish."

I, Maggie Pacheco, leave the doodling which adorns my book cover to anyone down in the dumps.

I, Kathy Miguel, leave my height to all giant underclassmen.

I, Lucyanne Sawyer, leave my unused resin to would-be followers of George Liberace.

I, Marcia Parrott, leave my Marlon Brando album to anyone who will keep it up to date.

I, Joan Bridgeman, will leave Mr. Ataman, our Memoirs photographer, alone, if we both survive 'till this yearbook is finished.

I, Barbara Horan, left New York to attend a great school—Somerset!

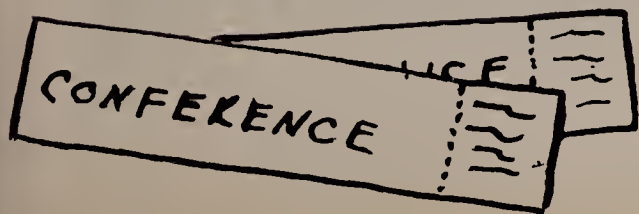
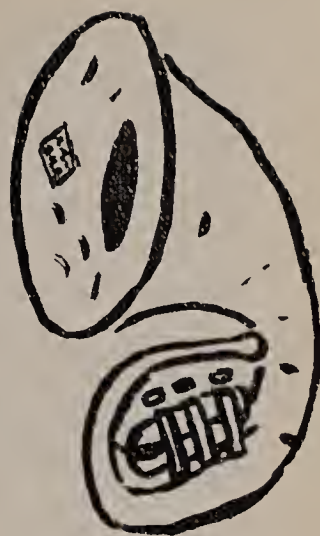
I, Manny Dias, leave—I hope!

I, Charlie Mendes, left my Parisian accent in French I.

I, Lois Chace, leave my title of "Miss" in June.

We, the Hoopsters of '56, leave our practice outfits to future home economics students. If they can patch those up, they are sure to succeed.

We, the graduates of '56, leave our outstanding scholastic and athletic records to be upheld by all future classes of Somerset High School.





Carol Bill
CUTEST



Earle Weed
BEST ALL 'ROUND



Aust Lollie
MOST POPULAR

Who's



Luce Joe
MOST BRILLIANT



Marilyn Butch
MOST AMBITIOUS



Barb Dave
QUIETEST



Coot Betsy
LIFE OF THE PARTY



Tom Pris
MOST ATHLETIC



Bob Joan
DID MOST FOR S.H.S.



Mickey Bobo
CLASS FLIRTS



Barbara Bob
MOST TALKATIVE

Who



Aust Mare
CLASS WITS



Art Liz
MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED



Jackie Fish
CHANGED MOST



Joan Joe
MOST TALENTED



Rosie Bob
BEST LOOKING

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Maggie Lenny
MOST ARTISTIC



Tom Rosie
BIGGEST APPETITES



Weed Eddie
MOST VERSATILE



Fish Helen
NEATEST



Ray Penny
FRIENDLIEST SMILE



Bev Mickey
BEST DRESSED



Kathy Tex
MOST EFFICIENT

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Lois Art
BEST DRIVERS



Bill Judy
BEST DANCERS



Helen Eddie
ALIBI ARTISTS

Class



The lamp had been rubbed and we found ourselves in a strange vehicle, the Gurnmobile, anchored in a harbor. Our destination—the new tourist playground, Underwater, U.S.A.

Our voyage was about to begin and hostesses Judi Borge and Jen Rostek helped us check our underwater attire which would be necessary during the tour.

With a whir of the jet engines and the raising of the anchor, we were on our way. Glancing through the portholes we could see the land slipping away and the sea engulfing us. Under the expert navigation of Eddie Fox and Bob Canty, the Gurnmobile, Invented by Bob Gurnitz, easily slipped in and out of the coral reefs and dense jungles of underwater vegetation.

We knew we were fast approaching Underwater, U.S.A. because of the signs along the way, which had the artistic touch of Maggie Pacheco.

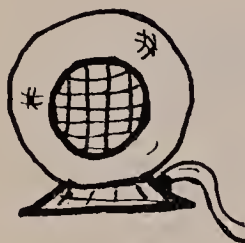
The hours of travel were made pleasanter by the melodious singing of Richard Smith, Ed Ouelette, and David Sullivan. At last we had arrived. After alighting from the Gurnmobile we were quite surprised to see Mayor Charlie Mendes and Councilman Dave Botelho swimming toward us. They presented us with the traditional golden "fish bone" to the city, and graciously invited us to dine with them at the Red Lobster "Swim-In," owed by the famous gourmet, Barbara Stone. While there, we overheard Bob Nichols and Joe Costa discussing their current business negotiations concerning the construction of a barnacle garden. Sitting with them were their reliable secretaries, "Thursday" Miguel and "Friday" Almeida, taking notes in indelible ink.

Ordering a seafood dinner (what else?) was quite a chore because there were so many delicious dishes from which to choose. John Cordeiro, the head waiter, took our orders for octopus saute.

The Seahorse Stable run by Augie Reis and Peter Gossic was just a few leagues down the street. We decided to rent a horse for the remainder of the trip. Our guide, Marilyn Verros, came speeding up on her trusty steed and after a few moments of reminiscing, we were on our way.

Our first stop was at the hospital designed by a leading architect, Lenny Wood, and built by Cliff Hoole and his construction company. Janet Perry, head operating nurse, and her assistants Lorraine Antone and Sheila Murphy were in the operating room helping Dr. Barbara Foulds perform a delicate operation on John Rebello, a hunter, who had been wounded in a battle with a swordfish. In the lab the technicians, Joyce Brockman and Bev Smith, were busy at work.

Next on the agenda was the Science Research Center where we were allowed to watch physicist Arthur Emmett working on his current problem—that of lighting the city by means of electric eels. We said au revoir to Professor Emmett and started for the Underwater Olympic Stadium. Our taxi was a sea turtle which took us past the courthouse where Judge Roland Bernardo and stenographers Jeanne Caron, Carolyn Butler, and Pauline Chagnon were busy at work.



Prophecy

Great was our disappointment when arriving at the stadium, we learned that we had just missed John Nordeste who had carried on the true tradition of his Alma Mater, by winning the Marathon Swim. It was not too late, however, to see the basketball team, composed of Capt. Dan Salmon, Austin O'Toole, Tom Harrington, Bill Cordeiro, and Bill Gibney, and coached by Roland Cordeiro, soundly trounce their opponents in an underwater game. (Their basketball was a puffed-up balloon-fish!) The next event we saw was a wrestling match between Ed Oliveira and an octopus. The blow-by-blow descriptions of the bout were given by Bob Pannoni, sportscaster. A very familiar voice was heard, and we turned around to see Marianne Russo selling her pizza pies garnished with a delectable seaweed sauce.

The games were over for the day, and as we left the stadium, we saw a large sign which attracted our attention—"Eisenhardt's Underwater Apparel." As we entered the store we saw Barbara Breton and June Lawton tottering around the shop in newly-purchased diving suits. Model Helen Miranda was trying to rescue Betsy Longshaw from a diving helmet which Jesse Correa had gently placed on her head.

Tired but happy, we returned to the newly renovated Spanish Galleon Hotel run by Eddie Lopes. In the lobby a large group of tourists were seeking autographs from Ron Lincoln, speedboat champ, and his mechanics, John Cahill and Marshall Cadorette, and publicity agent, Ray Caron.

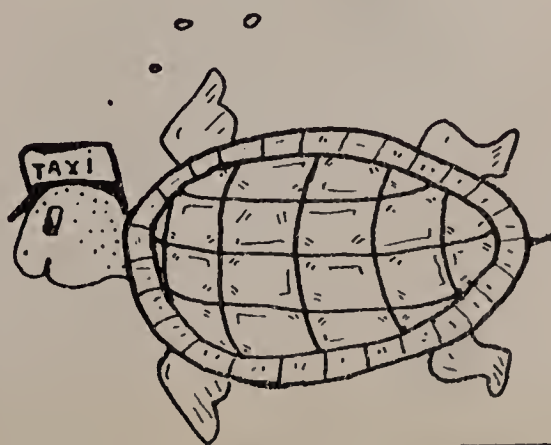
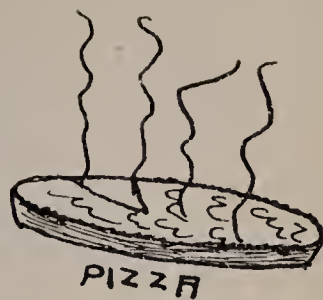
It was nearing departure time, but we couldn't leave without first visiting the school. Our old classmates, Joe Zagorski and Joan Bridgeman met us at the door. It certainly wasn't a surprise to us to learn that they had become music supervisors. While walking through the corridors, we passed the immense gymnasium where Paul Ouimet was drumming the beats for the water ballet stars, Rosie Moisan and Ann Parent. The music was his own composition of the Mermaid Mambo. As we were leaving, we saw Carol Dwyer and Helen Burgess, the school nurses.

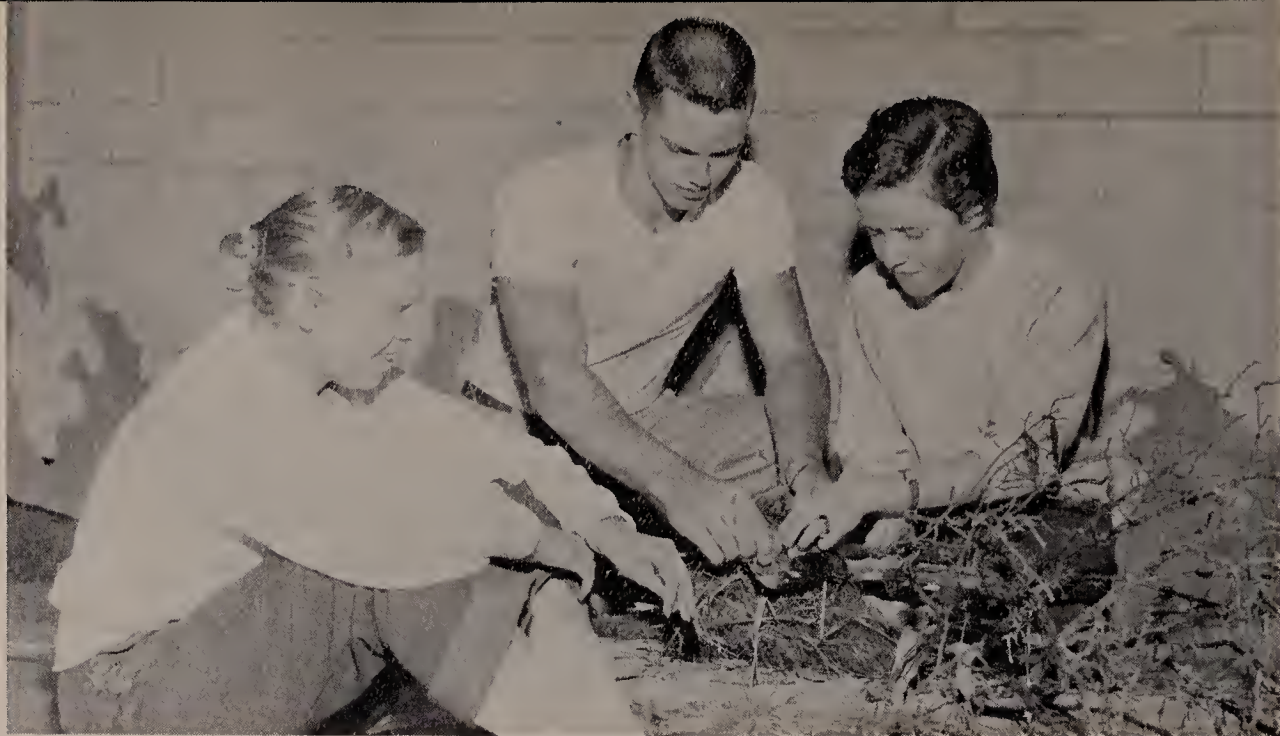
On our way back to the Gurnmobile we stopped at Mello and Davenport Souvenirs Inc. to purchase a few bushels of pearls and a copy of Lucyanne Sawyer's latest novel, *The Art of Spearing Fish with a Violin Bow*.

We entered the Gurnmobile and as it started on its return trip, we took a backward glance at Underwater, U.S.A.

Memories of happy moments and renewed friendships would be with us always.

Now we had a new destination—HOME.



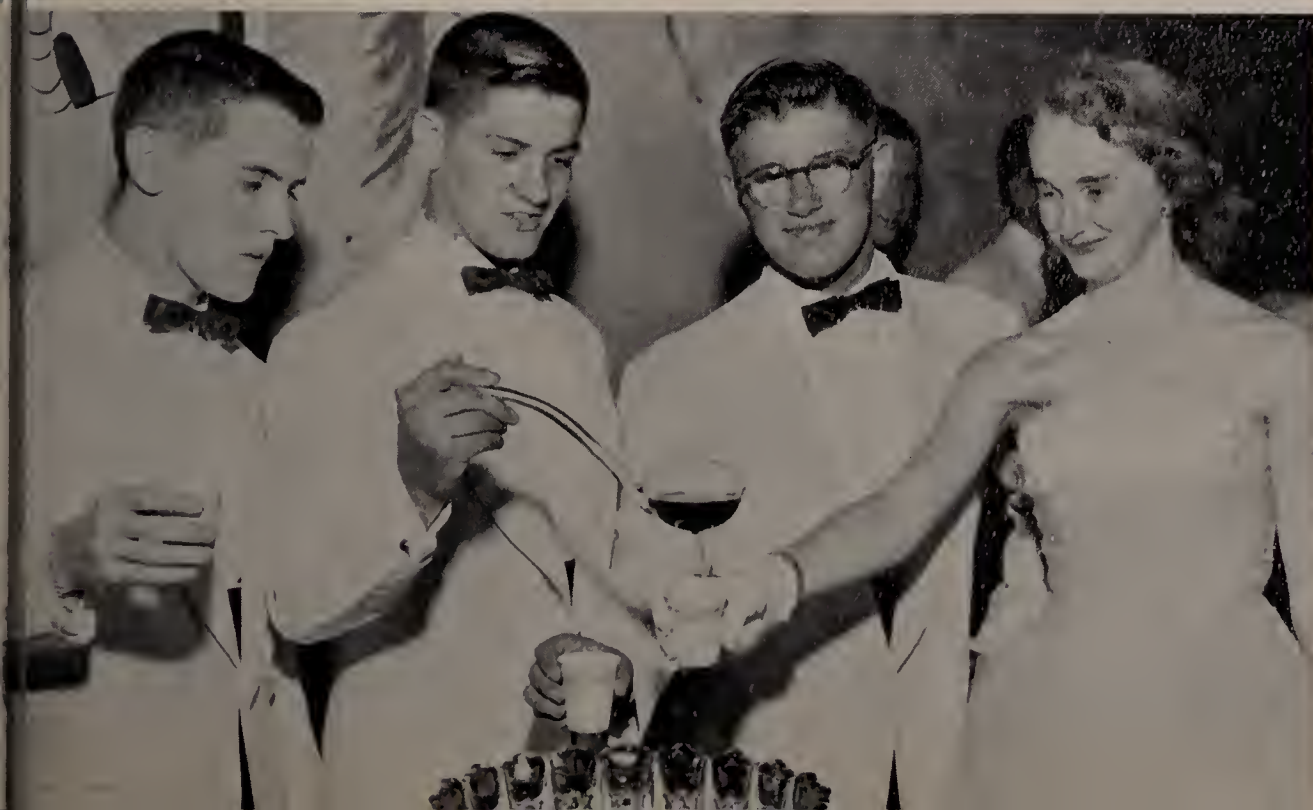


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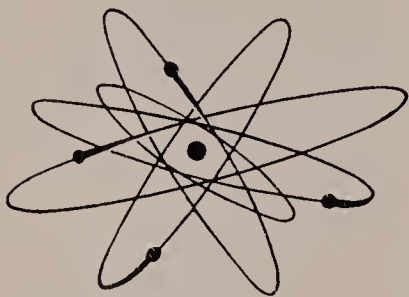
Prom



Highlights of '55



Beauty Parlor Trio



Wednesday's Hero



The Big Freeze



ART



STUDENT
CONTROL



WINTER



Front row, left to right: John Furtado, Kathleen Costa, Diane Rousseau, Geraldine Cahill, Joan Bridgeman, Lola Brockman, Robert Nichols, Merrill Chace. Second row: Edward Cambra, Robert Souza, Julianne Pimental, Carol Harrington, Marjorie Durfee, Eulalia Almeida, William Gastall, Joseph Zagorski. Third row: Dennis Collins, Clifford Hoole, William Gibney, Mr. Morris, Claire Ducharme, Barbara Gateriewictz, Charles Mendes.



Student Council

The Student Council, legislative body of our school, formulates plans of action for the entire school. It also serves to bind together the faculty and students.

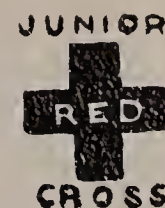
Honor Society

The Honor Society is a group composed of those pupils who have attained high scholastic marks for three years. New members are inducted in the Spring.



Seated, left to right: Kathy Miguel, Bob Nichols, Mr. Kaylor, Henry DeMarco, Liz King. Standing: Pauline Chagnon, Roland Bernardo, Art Emmett, Bob Gurnitz, Joe Costa, Bill Gibney, Barbara Weeden, Lucyanne Sawyer.





First row, left to right: Gerry Cahill, Barbara Cabral, Muriel Hutchinson, Mr. Sandomierski, Carol Dwyer, Claudette Cote, Sheila Murphy, Barbara Phelan. Second row: Charlie Mendes, Roland Bernardo, Anne La Salle, Robert Donovan, Dan Salmon, Bill Gibney.

Junior Red Cross Council

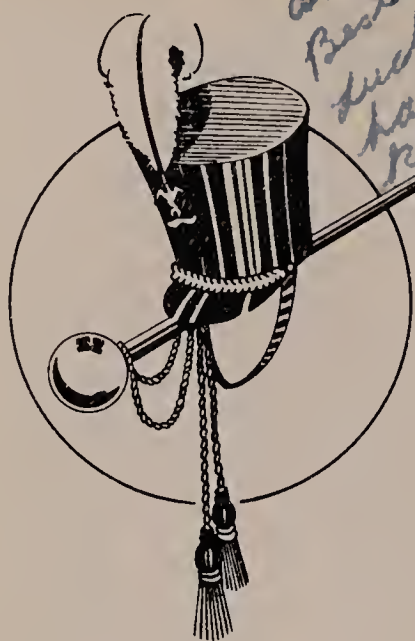
Under the direction of Mr. Sandomierski, this council conducts annual Red Cross and Infantile Paralysis drives.

Breeze

Supervised by Mr. O'Brien, this group of flourishing journalists efficiently put out a fine school newspaper bi-monthly.

First row, left to right: Roland Bernardo, Leonard Wood, Elizabeth King, Mr. O'Brien, Barbara Foulds, Bill Gibney, Tom Harrington. Second row: Judy Borge, Kathy Miguel, Beverly Smith, Mary Etta Fredenburg, Claire Murphy, Rita Lynch, Joyce Brockman. Last row: Claire Vermette, Joanne Hrenko, Helen Ducharme, Martha Whitcomb, Barbara Eisenhardt, Yvette Dube.





*Annex
Best of
luck. O
have enjoyed
knowing you
and your
car.*



Front row: Barbara Siemms, Helen Burgess, Carol Torres, June Curt, Jackie Vargas, Marcia Lahue, Dianne Rousseau, Beverly Smith, Nancy Anderson. Second row: Linda Pearson, Laura Parent, Gary Vaughn, Marilyn Bennett, Arlene Gabriel, Priscilla Lodge, Patty Hathaway, Barbara Gateriewictz. Third row: Joe Zagorski, Pamela Nevins, Brian Riley, Art Emmett, Joan Bridgeman, Bob Gurnitz, Richard Pierce, Danny Riley. Fourth row: Eugene Rutkowski, Steve Durfee, Carol Washburn, Madelyn Tavares, Adeline Largent, Anne Reseigh. Fifth row: Sue Rivard, Gerald Butler, Barry Lees, Billy Frado, Wayne Gibbs, Jane Gibney. Last row: Steve Biello, Carleton Grantham, Paul Gamache, Mike Lombardo.

Band

Our colorful band, directed by Mr. Gayzagian, has done a splendid job increasing school spirit. At games, Pep Rallies, and other outside activities, the band brings outstanding recognition to Somerset High.

Orchestra

Under the direction of Mr. Gayzagian, the conscientious members of the orchestra strive to lend harmony and inspiration to our school assemblies.

Left to right: Gary Vaughn, Marilyn Bennett, Lorraine Hall, Ann Harper, Janice Chadburn, Ronald Lincoln, Nancy Nichols, Paul Gamache, Ann Slattery, Roseanne Souza, Sue Rivard, Doris Cox, Mike Russo, Pam Nevins, Connie Bennett, Bob Gurnitz, Mary Ann Gibney, Joe Zagorski, Lucyanne Sawyer, Henry DeMarco, Gene Rutkowski, Anne Reseigh, Mr. Gayzagian.





First row: Paul Hitchen, Bev Smith, Miss Scanlon, Richard Smith. Second row: Dorothy Charette, Sylvia Chace, Sheila Murphy, Wayne Gray, Janet Perry, Marilyn Verros, Marcia Lahue, Carol Dwyer. Third row: John Nordeste, Julianne Pimental, Martha Whitcomb, Marianne Russo, Mary Ann Gibney, Donna Rae Anderson, Patty Hathaway, Barbara Seimms, Barbara Foulds, Eddie Cambra. Last row: Rita Lynch, Barbara Stone, Gerry Cahill, Alfred Zagorski, Terry Laughren, George Hague, Marcia Parrott, Priscilla Lodge, Barbara Eisenhardt.

Dramatic Club

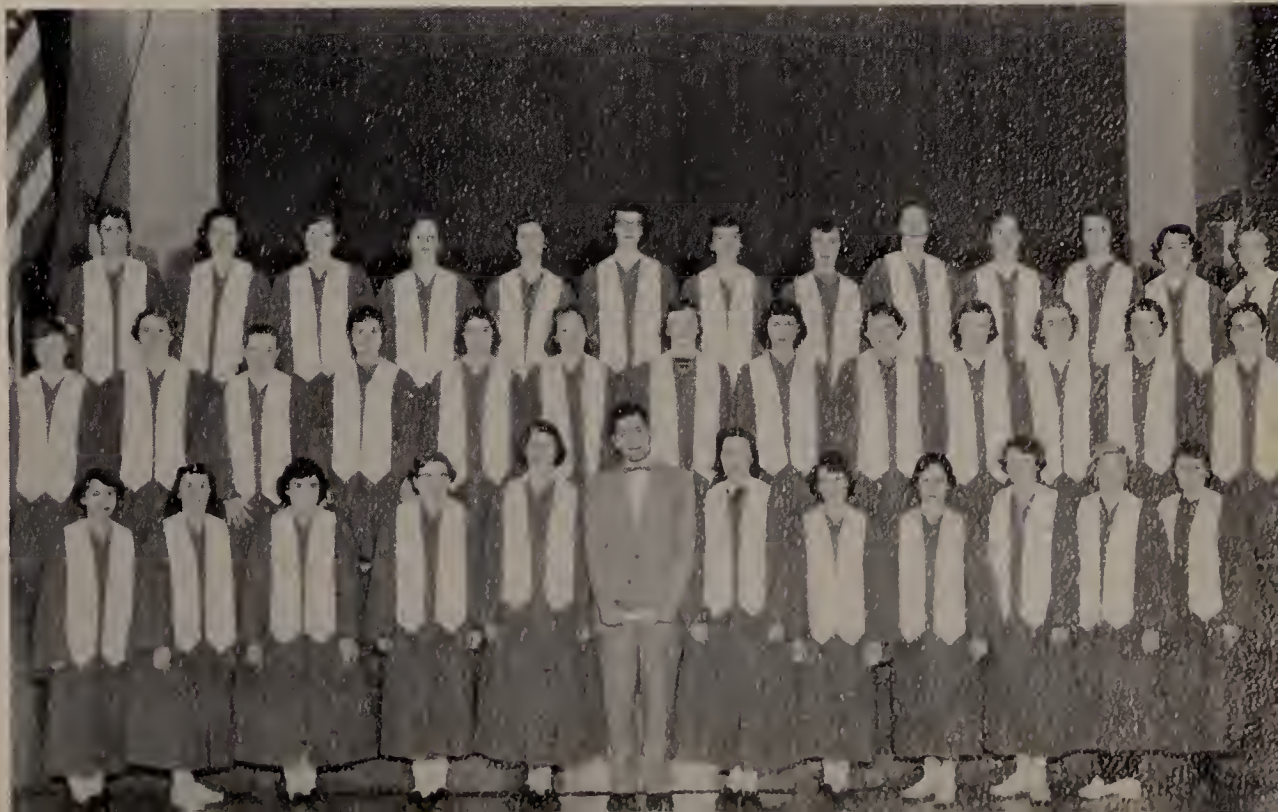
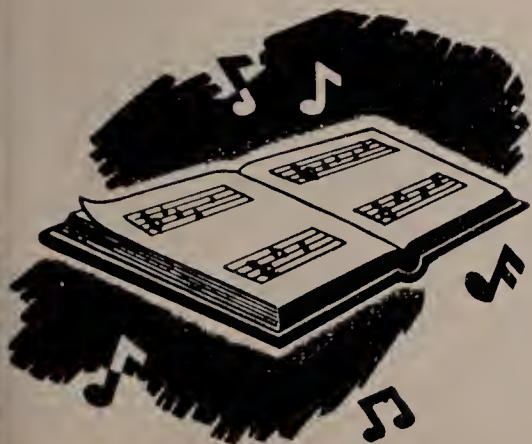
The Dramatic Club, under the supervision of Miss Scanlon, presents inspiring tableaux and one fine play during the school year.

Special Girls' Glee Club

The Special Girls' Glee Club, supervised by Mr. Gayzagian, participates in various musical activities during the course of the school year. The Christmas Vespers, Spring Musicale, and Exchange concerts with neighboring schools are outstanding among these activities.

First row: Myra Tavares, Kathy Costa, Eileen Borges, Lucyanne Sawyer, Pris Lodge, Mr. Gayzagian, Joan Bridgeman, Marcia Lahue, Madelyn Frado, Eileen Coleman, Marge Durfee, Liz King. Second row: Barbara Rogers, Ruth Lincoln, Rita Lynch, Maggie Pacheco, Eileen Mello, Ann Parent, Joanne Hrenko, Marianne Russo, Bev Smith, Mary Etta Fredenburg, Claire Murphy, Barbara Weeden, Marilyn Verros. Last row: Julianne Pimental, Gerry Cahill, Patty Hathaway, Marilyn Bennett, Madelyn Tavares, Marcia Parrott, Mary Ann Gibney, Barbara Gateriewictz, Colby Harris, Anne Jane Reseigh, Carol Washburn, Janet Perry, Sandra Davenport.

Anne-Jane -
I don't
know what I
would have
done without
your help
in algebra. I
pass the
final (certainly)
can thank you
good luck
in the future,
Doris Cox



Seated, front row: Nelson Douthwright, Paul Gamache, Roland Bernardo, Myra Tavares, Marcia Lahue, Ann Parent. Second row: Jim Bridgeman, Gary Vaughn, Joan Bridgeman, Marianne Russo, Barbara Weeden. Third row: Henry DeMarco, Bob Canty, Tom Theodore, Patty Hathaway, Irene Baldaia, Anne-Jane Reseigh, Marilyn Bennett. Fourth row: Eugene Rutkowski, Colby Harris, Carol Washburn, Sue Kard, Mart Whitcomb, Julianne Pimental. Standing: June Curt, Helen Burgess, Bev Smith, Carol Dwyer, Sylvia Chace, Lolly Almeida, Janet Perry, Sandra Davenport, Joe Zagorski, Bob Gurnitz, Madeline Tavares, Arleen Gabriel, Gerry Cahill and Marilyn Verros.



MIXED CHORUS

Under the direction of Mr. Gayzagian, this recently-organized group has made extraordinary progress. Composed of the most talented singers in the school, the Mixed Chorus produces a masterpiece of blend, quality and intonation. Many outstanding performances have been given and will continue to be given by this enthusiastic organization.

LIBRARY ASSOCIATES

The Library Associates under the fine leadership of Miss Mary Louise Walsh, work to keep the library operating efficiently throughout the school year. The work of the Library Associates includes cataloguing new books, checking on overdue books and repairing worn books. Each period, and before and after school, a library associate is on hand to help students select books and find reference materials. In addition to the annual outing the librarians enjoy monthly teas in the school cafeteria.



Left to right: Winifred Broadhurst, Helen Fletcher, Adeline Largent, Lola Brockman, Barbara Weeden, Julianne Pimental, Marilyn Bennett, Anne-Jane Reseigh, Martha Whitcomb, Miss Walsh, Marilyn Verros, Priscilla Lodge, Marcia Zapasnik, Lucyanne Sawyer, and Colby Harris.

Anne-Jane, these last three years have been loads of fun. I hope that this last year will be as nice. You're a wonderful friend. Irene B.

Anne-Jane, never forget our wonderful times together - working in library, driving, stalling in drives, Ed, sweating out finals, etc. We have had many exciting times in the past and I know we will in the future. Ben.



Anne-Jane,
 so a really
 pal.
 Barb



Anne-Jane,
 so a real great
 gal. We've really
 had fun these
 past yrs. & we'll
 continue to have
 lots more. Best of
 luck in the future.
 MS

Seated, left to right: Bill Gibney, Ed Oliveira, Myra Tavares, Janinne Lagasse, Maureen Quintel, Barbara Gieriewitz, Bob Gurnitz, Mr. Kineavy. Standing: Bob Pannoni, Robert Nichols, Bill Gainnie, Earle Dennis, Austin O'Toole, Dan Salmon, Henry DeMarco, Charlie Mendes, Leonard Farrell, Tom Theodore, Mike Lombardo.

Round Table

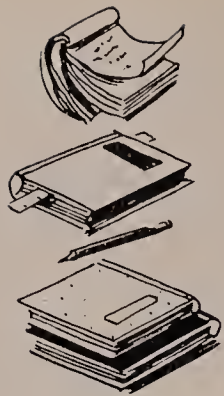
This club, directed by Mr. Kineavy, is one that strives to gain "truth through knowledge" by becoming well informed on world and national affairs.

Le Cercle Francais

This is an organization under the direction of Miss Walsh for the purpose of better acquainting our students with the French language and mannerisms.

Seated, left to right: Bill Gibney, Elizabeth King, Janet Perry, Marilyn Verros, Barbara Foulds, Joan Bridgeman, Miss Walsh. Standing: Dave Botelho, Arthur Emmett, Henry DeMarco, Joe Zagorski, Tom Harrington, Lucyane Sawyer, Bob Gurnitz, Austin O'Toole.





Seated: Miss Mason, Eileen Mello, June Lawton, Sheila Murphy, Lollie Almeida.
Standing: Margaret Pacheco, Marianne Russo, Kathy Miguel, Pauline Chagnon, Ann Parent, Joanne Hrenko.



SENIOR SHORTHAND CLUB

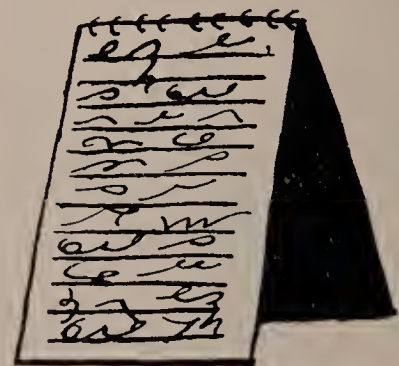
This group holds bi-monthly meetings under the direction of Miss Mason. Once a month the Junior Shorthand Club joins the Senior group, and the joint meeting hears speakers or sees films about the business world.

JUNIOR SHORTHAND CLUB

Also under the able supervision of Miss Mason, this group of Junior girls holds bi-monthly meetings to discuss the work and job opportunities of the modern secretary.

*Look Success
Madeline
(remember Driver's Ed.)*

Seated: Marilyn Rogers, Miss Mason, Sheila Osborne. Second row: Lorraine Raposa, Sheila O'Neill, Madeline Frado, Claire Phelan, Claire Cahill, Rita Lynch, Maureen Westcott, Marcia Rego, June Simons. Third row: Delores Coloumbe, Carol Ploski, Helen Rockliffe, Joan Ramos, Carla France, Lorraine Antone. (Absent: Helen Burgess).





YEARBOOK ACTIVITY

Seated, left to right: Miss Walsh, Austin O'Toole, Earle Dennis. Standing: Bob Nichols, Marilyn Verros, Tom Harrington, Barbara Weeden, Bev Smith, Carol Dwyer, Priscilla Lodge, Joyce Brockman.

Somerset Hymn

Let's give a cheer for Somerset
 And make it loud and long.
 Our Alma Mater glorious,
 To her we raise our song;
 We fight hard for the victories,
 We keep our honor bright;
 We'll ever cheer the Raiders bold
 Who wear the Blue and White.
 Fond memories of Somerset
 Will be our guiding light.

—J. BRIDGEMAN

Junior High



JUNIOR HIGH FACULTY

Seated: Miss Ryan, Mr. Johnson, Mrs. Bergeron, Miss Bottomley. Standing: Mr. Gulino, Mr. Daley, Miss Fazio, Mr. Driscoll, Mr. Barrar, Mr. Sullivan, Mr. Smietana.

JUNIOR HIGH STUDENT COUNCIL

Left to right: Pete Bertek, Nancy Nichols, Mr. Daley, Marjorie Miranda, Jacky Correia.



UNDERCLASSMEN



Juniors



CLASS OFFICERS

Left to right: Eddie Cambra, Kathy Costa, Bob Souza, Lola Brockman, Jack Furtado.



OUTSTANDING ATHLETES

Kneeling: Eugene Rutkowski, Harry Ward, Lou Habib, Jack Collins. Standing: Dick Botelho, Mel Douthwright, Art Kydd, Terry Laughren, Mike Lombardo. (Absent: Jack Furtado, Lou Souza, Bob Souza, George Bettencourt, Paul Lussier.)



Sophomores



CLASS OFFICERS

Left to right: Gerry Cahill, Merril Chace, Diane Rousseau, Dennis Collins, Carol Harrington, Bill Gastall, Julianne Pimental.



OUTSTANDING ATHLETES

Front row, left to right: Roger Caron, Bill Gastall, Dennis Collins, Paul Chace. Second row: Merrill Chace, Jim Bridgeman, Wayne Stone, Steve Biello.





Goo's Goo?

1. Eileen Mello 2. Janet Perry 3. Barbara Stone 4. Charlie Mendes 5. Carol Dwyer 6. Carolyn Butler
 7. Barbara Weeden 8. Barbara Foulds 9. June Lawton 10. Helen Miranda 11. Beverly Smith 12. Jan Rostek
 13. Kathy Miguel 14. John Nordeste 15. Joan Bridgeman 16. Lucyanne Sawyer 17. Joe Costa 18. Marcia
 Parrott 19. David Sullivan 20. Rose Moisan 21. Ann Parent 22. David Botelho 23. Marilyn Verros 24. Ray
 Caron 25. Butch De Marco 26. Freddy Jackson 27. Arthur Emmett.



1. Bill C. 2. Marge D. 3. Joanne H. 4. Judy B. 5. Tommy H. 6. Roland B. 7. J. Cordeiro 8. Liz K.
 9. Priscilla L. 10. Joyce B. 11. Barbara E. 12. June L. 13. Austin O'T. 14. Betsy L. 15. Eddie O. 16.
 16. Helen B. 17. Penny C. 18. Ann C. 19. Joe Z. 20. Bob G. 21. Lorraine A. 22. Cliff H. 23. Dan S.
 24. Earle D. 25. Jackie V. 26. Bob C. 27. Marianne R.

From the Sidelines





Sports





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Pudge



Cheerleaders



Majorettes



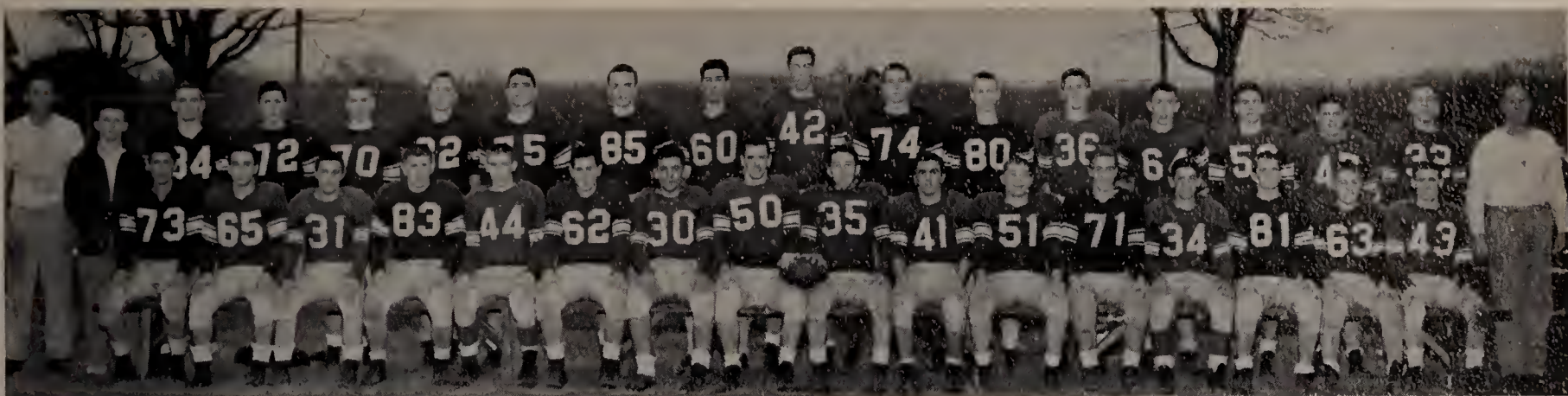
Pep Squad



Flag Bearers

Anne - you're a great gal. I know our senior year will be great. Rich & success. Murph

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Football — '55

Somerset High's reputation as an Eastern Massachusetts football power was further enhanced by the performance of its 1955 grid team. In compiling an impressive seven and one record, the Simpsonites ranked second in the state in Class D. This was the highest standing ever attained by a Somerset eleven in the long history of the school.

The 1955 grid season got underway on a rain-soaked Pottersville Field as an untried Raider eleven pounded out a decisive 32-0 win over Nantucket. On October 8th, Somerset met an ever-dangerous foe, Dighton High. The Simpsonmen displayed a vicious linegame and emerged with their first Narry League victory 19-0. This marked the third straight year that the Lions failed to cross the Somerset goal line. The Raider grid machine rolled on, spearheaded by Co-Captains Cliff Hoole and Ed Oliveira. Unbeaten Falmouth and Class C Howe felt the force of a destined eleven. The powerful Blue Raiders played host to the Little Green of Dartmouth and struck hard in posting a 27-6 win. But the test awaited us, Taunton High, defending Bristol County Champions. Undauntedly the Somerset team met the challenge and gave Coach Simpson his greatest triumph. The stalwart play of All-State tackle Roland Cordeiro, backed by the entire Raider eleven brought Somerset its finest team-victory.

Next on the grid card was Plymouth High, a spirited Class C eleven, who succumbed to the Blue Wave, 25-0, in the mud of Pottersville Field. The hard-charging defensive platoon had again displayed its usual potent game.

Only traditional rival Case stood between the Raiders and the coveted Class D title. Although giving their best showing of the season, the Raiders dropped the Annual tussle to a proud Case team. In losing their first game to Case in six years, Somerset relinquished the "49ers" trophy for the first time since it was inaugurated, as well as their grasp on the State Class D leadership which they had held throughout the season.

Despite this, the team was an outstanding one, but their efforts would have been futile were it not for the excellent coaching staff who added another great chapter in the Simpson dynasty. Assistant Coach Luti lent untiring aid in developing the "55" grid squad. His expertly drawn scouting reports proved invaluable to the success of the team. Many players were lauded for their talents on the gridiron. Co-Captains Cliff Hoole and Ed Oliveira were picked for various All-Narry squads. Roland Cordeiro was awarded a first team slot on the All-State Class "D" team as well as gaining All-Narry recognition. Linemen Earle Dennis, Mike Freitas and Joe Costa received All-Narry notice, and the passing combination, Mel Douthwright to end Tom Harrington, gained All-League honors along with state-wide mention. Halfbacks Bob Nichols and Coot Cordeiro were chosen on the All-League platoon.

Somerset.....	32	Nantucket	0
Somerset.....	19	Dighton	0
Somerset.....	14	Falmouth	0
Somerset.....	13	Howe	0
Somerset.....	27	Dartmouth	6
Somerset.....	26	Taunton	0
Somerset.....	25	Plymouth	0
Somerset.....	6	Case	20





EARLE



BOB



MIKE



HENU



CHOURICO

Co-Captain
CLIFF



JOE



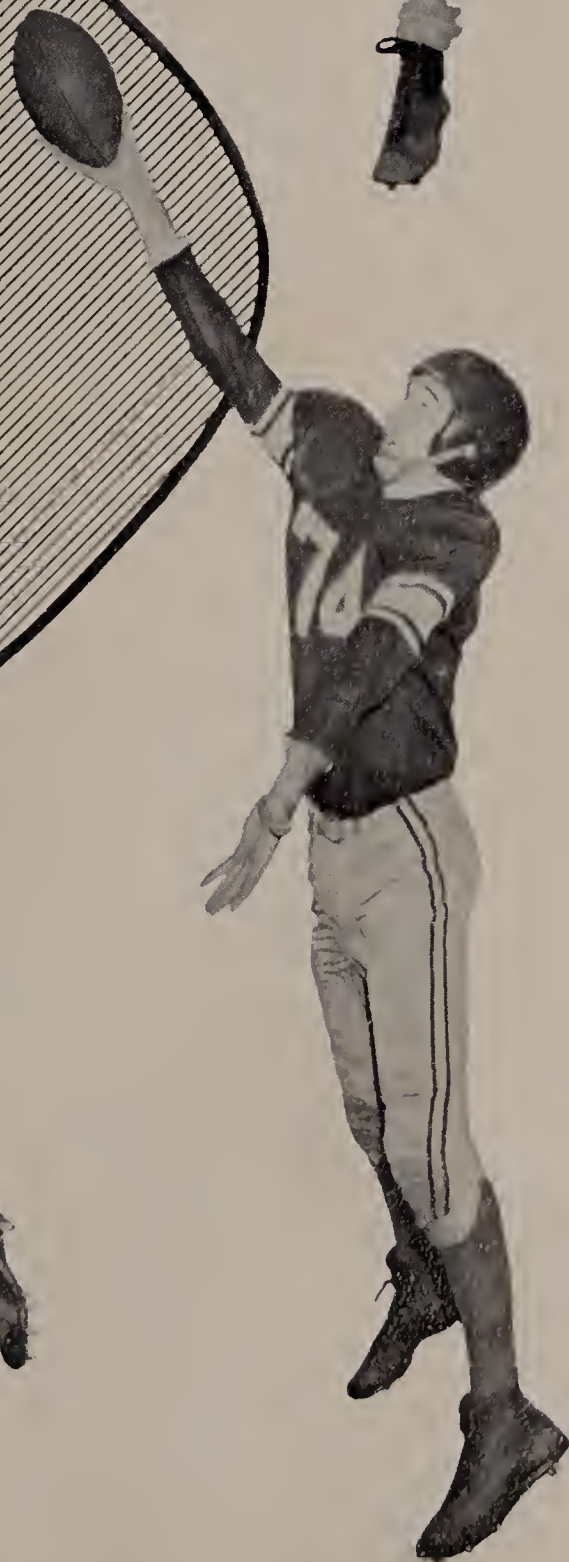
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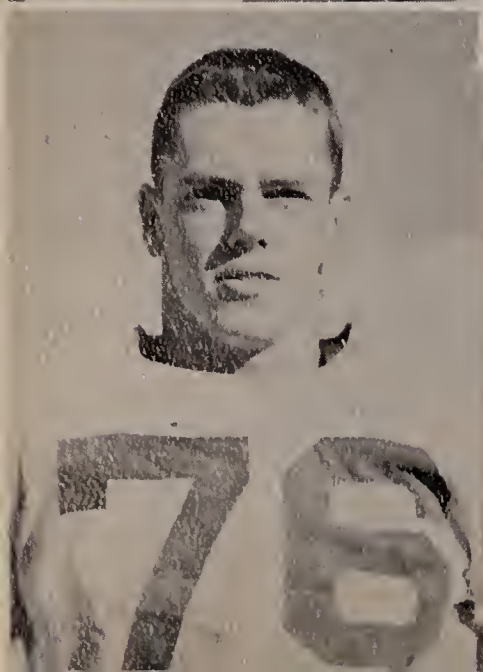
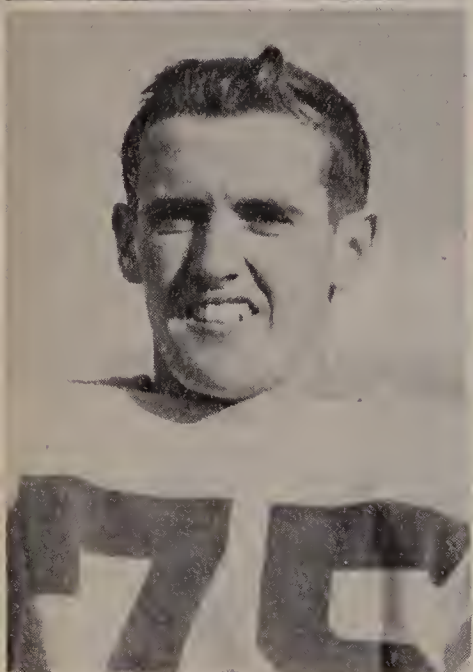
Co-Captain
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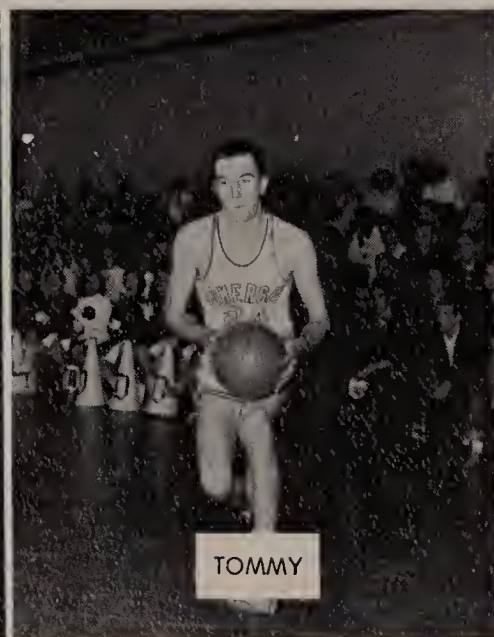
Narry Champs

With the 1955-56 basketball season nearly completed, Somerset has clinched the Narry title and qualified for the Tech Tourney for the third consecutive year. The Blue and White intend to emulate their illustrious "54" brethren and annex the coveted Class "C" crown. Such an achievement would be a fitting tribute to our outstanding coach, Bill Kearns, under whose astute guidance Somerset High has dominated Narry League play during the past three years. Paced by Captain Dan Salmon and center Tom Harrington, the Raiders have roared through sixteen Narry League tussles. The aggressive rebounding of Earle Dennis and clever ballhandling of "Coot" Cordeiro and Mel Douthwright have enabled the Somerset quintet to post an over-all record of fifteen wins and one loss.

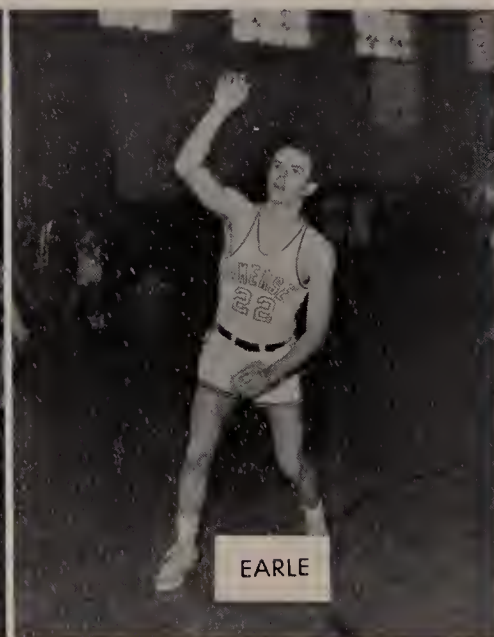
Much of the success of the team was due to the excellent reserve strength which is essential to any championship team. With three year veterans Bill Gibney, Charlie Mendes, Joe Zagorski, and Austin O'Toole, the reserve unit displayed first-team calibre throughout the season.



CAPT. DAN



TOMMY



EARLE



COOT



BILLY



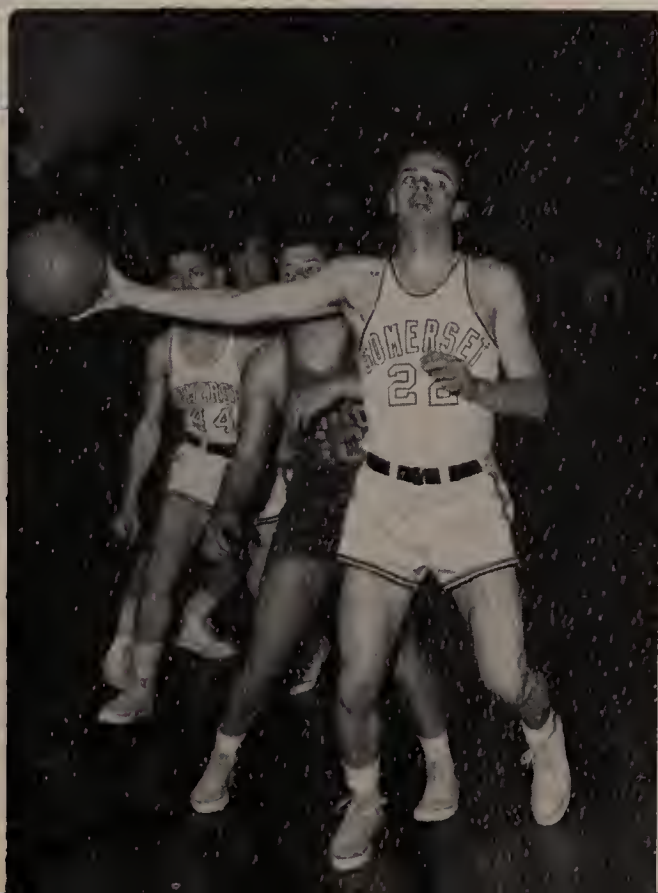
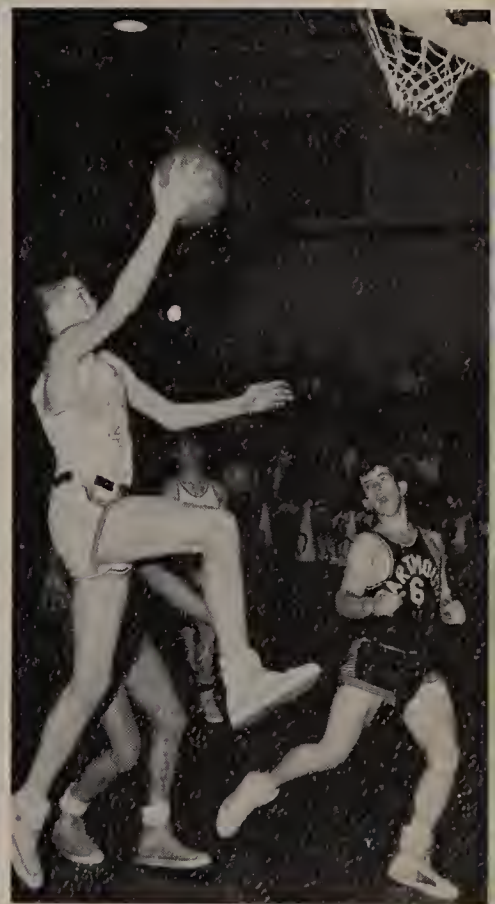
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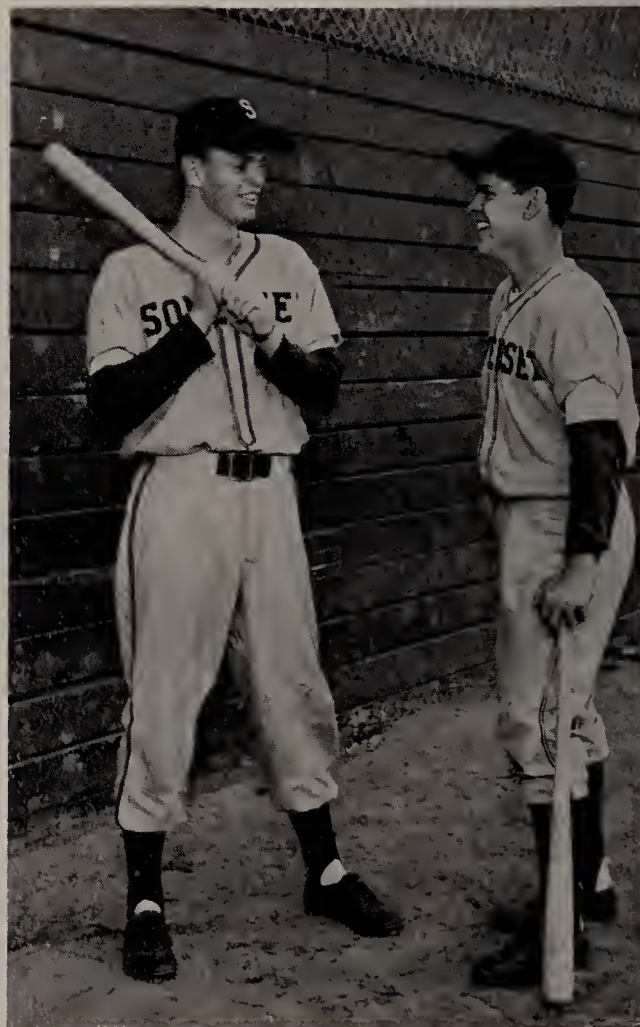


Baseball

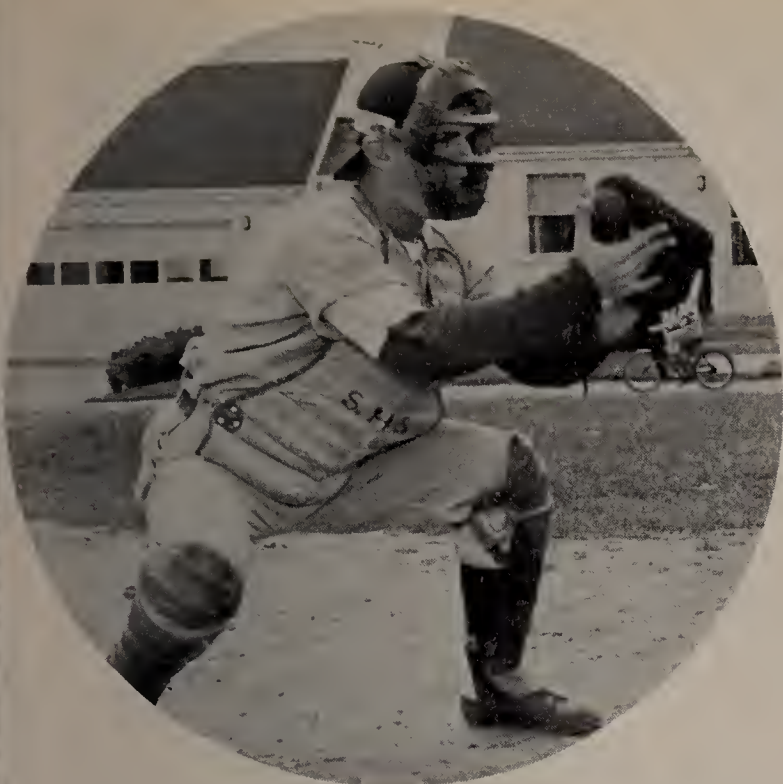
Although the 1955 baseball team did not annex the Narry League championship, it did display ability and sportsmanship while placing third in tight league competition.

The 1956 outlook is definitely better, for the Blue Raiders will field an experienced team in their attempt to regain the Narry crown. Co-Captain Earle Dennis, fireballing right-hander, heads a stellar pitching staff comprised of All-Narry hurler Tom Harrington, Lou Habib, and lefty Bill Gibney. Co-Captain Charlie Mendes, a three-year veteran, provides the Raiders with the best backstopping in the league. A tight inner defense composed entirely of Juniors boasts a keystone combination of "Sweet" Souza and Mel Douthwright. Classy-fielding Jack Furtado holds down the initial sack, and Lou Souza is guardian of the hot corner. The outfield will probably be composed of Ed Oliveira, Austin O'Toole, and Dee Collins.

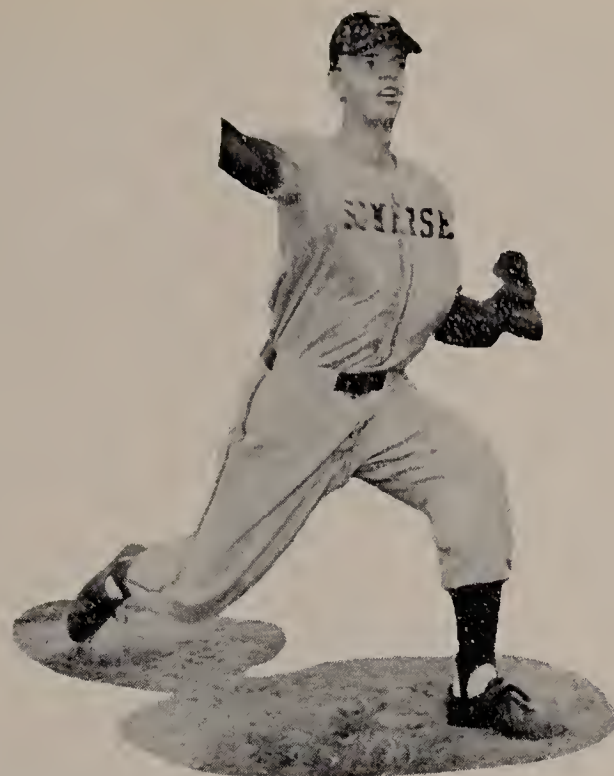
With such an excellent lineup, the '56 squad will prove itself outstanding among its opponents and will maintain Somerset's leadership in the field of sports.



Co-Captains
EARLE and CHARLIE



CHARLIE



EARLE



EDDIE



TOMMY



AUST



BILLY



Track

The 1955 track squad posted an outstanding record on the cinder paths in winning their fourth Narry Championship in five years. The success of the Somerset High track teams has been a result of the hard work and expert tutelage of Coach William Luti. In the past five years Coach Luti has earned the reputation of molding champion track teams and the 1956 edition is no exception.

With Captain Bob Nichols, holder of the Narry League record for the 440 as a nucleus, Coach Luti has an impressive array of talent with which to continue his winning tradition. Seniors Charlie Mendes and Henry DeMarco excel in the field events, while Ed Oliveira's specialty is the middle distances. Junior speedster Dick Botelho will be counted on for points in the 100 yard dash, and hurdler Lou Souza rounds out a competent team of tracksters. Depth in both track and field events is afforded by underclassmen Jack Collins, Harry Ward, Dennis Collins and James Rockliffe.

This is the team that will represent Somerset High in the coming spring track campaign which promises the tightest competition in Narry history.



CAPTAIN NICHOLS

Narry



BOBBY

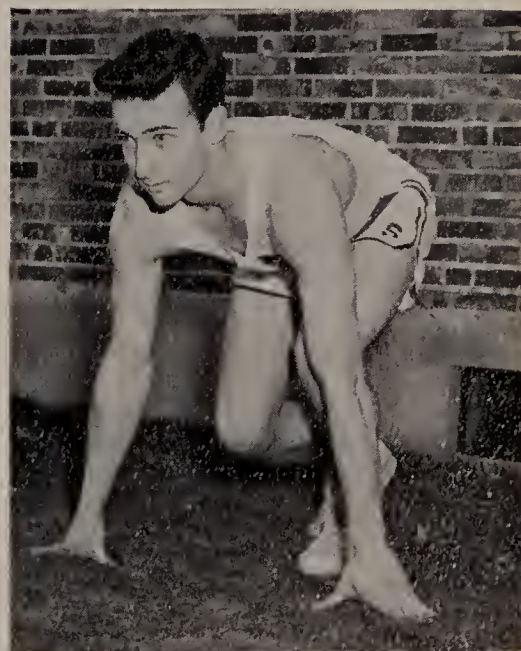
Champs



EDDIE



Coach Luti and Captain
Nichols



JOHN



PRISCILLA



CHARLIE



HENRY



VARSITY

Front row: Marcia Zapasnick, Co-Captains, Priscilla Lodge, and Barbara Weeden, Irene Dupere, and Betty Sullivan. Back row: Coach Bachand, Barbara Horan, Martha Whitcomb, Pudge Ducharme, Joan Bridgeman, and Barbara Gateriewietz.



Co-Captain
"WEED"



Co-Captain
PRIS

Girls' Basketball

The Girls' Basketball Team finished another very successful season under the able coaching of Miss Bachand with a record of 6 wins and only 2 losses. Spearheading the team were Irene Dupere and Co-Captain Priscilla Lodge. Other outstanding Varsity members were Marcia Zapasnick, Martha Whitcomb, Co-Captain Barbara Weeden, Joan Bridgeman, Barbara Horan, Helen Ducharme, Betty Sullivan, and Barbara Gateriewietz.

Forwards on the 'undefeated Jay Vee Team were: Mary Ann Oibney, Sue Rivard, Barbara Cabral, and Gerry Cahill. Guards were Julianne Pimental, Mary Etta Fredenburg, and Carol Harrington.

The Raiderettes topped off the season with the annual Sports Day, held at Dartmouth.



BOBBIE

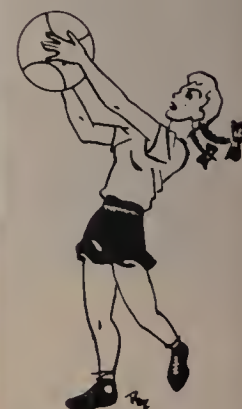


JOAN



JUNIOR VARSITY

Front row: Jean Madore, Pam Nevins, Garry Mendes, Bev DeMarco, Gail Harrison. Second row: Mary Viveiros, Kathy Gateriewietz, Barbara Cabral, Sue Rivard, Ann Harper, Bev Simons. Last row: Mary Ann Gibney, Madeline Tavares, Julianne Pimental, Gerry Cahill, Carol Harrington, Helen Rockcliffe, Mary Etta Fredenburg.



Teams in Action



*Area
Best of Luck
to a great kid and
a good senior year
and future
player*



Wheew!



The best laid plans of mice and men
Do oft times go astray;
But here's the end of real hard work—
We hope we've done okay.

For now it's time to take our leave;
Please wish us Luck and "Cheers,"
And do not let our mem'ries fade
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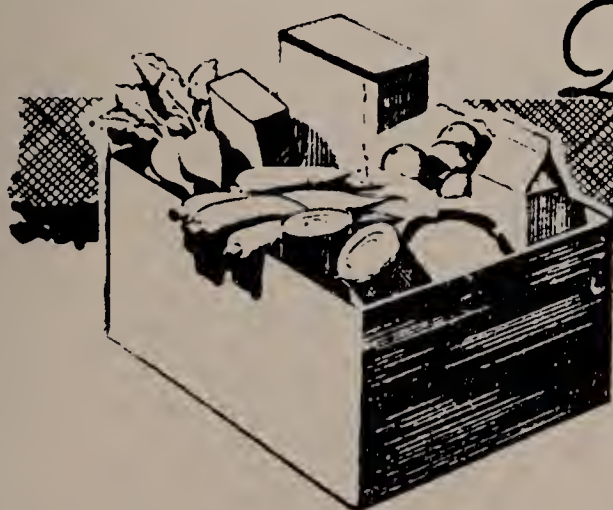
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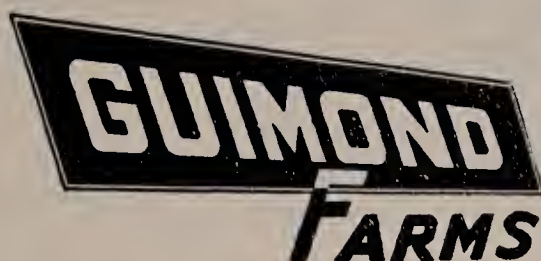
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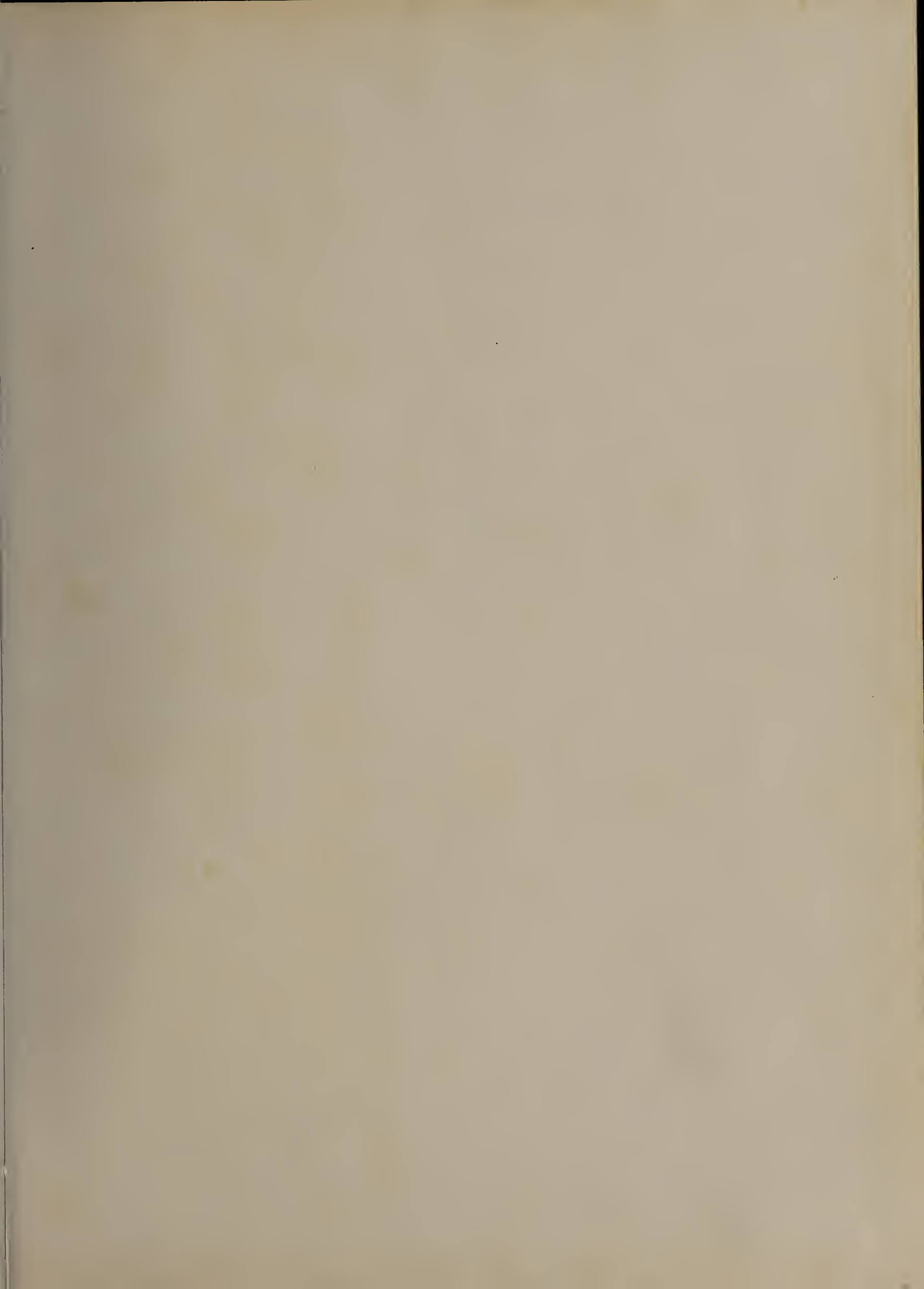
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